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Being home for Christmas is a universal desire.

Brotherhood is proclaimed and practiced more than at any other time.

Differences are subdued and all of us concentrate more on how we are alike than on how we are not alike.

We think more about what we can do for somebody, rather than what we can do to somebody.

Each of us has his or her own anticipated excitements and the odds are better than usual that realizations will live up to expectations.

For this period, whatever our age, we all become young in attitude; whatever our faith, we share the holiday spirit; whether our collars are white or blue, we can resolve to do something special for our fellow human beings to add to the joy of living.

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Eight-two million Americans have jobs — the best jobs in the world. (Headline writers please copy).

This is the country where no one need go hungry, no one need go without an education he can use to grow and progress. And this is the nation that shares its wealth with practically the whole world — the nations of 3½ billion people have shared in America's generosity.

Best of all, perhaps, it is America where 50 million working men and women give up much of their hard-won leisure to help those less fortunate, by teaching, acting as nurses' aides, or as counsel and guide to young people as Scout Masters, Big Brothers, Junior Achievement advisers.

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CLOSING THE GATES CEREMONY. Dec. 16. Londonerry, County Londonderry, Northern Ireland.

DAY OF THE CONVENANT. Dec. 16. Republic of South Africa. Holiday established on Dec. 16, 1938, in commemoration of victory of the Voortrekkers over Dinjaan and his Zulus, of the Battle of Blood River.

LUDWIG van BEETHOVEN'S BIRTHDAY. Dec. 16. (Dec. 1770- Mar 26, 1827).

MAN WILL NEVER FLY MEMORIAL DAY. Dec. 16. Kill Devil Hills, NC. Purpose: "To perpetuate the motto 'Birds fly: Men drink'." Sponsor: Man Will Never Fly Memorial Society. Info. from: Never Fly Society, P. O. Box 1903, Kill Devil Hills, NC 27948.

NINE DAYS OF POSADAS. Dec. 16-24. Mexico. Processions of 'pilgrims' knock at door asking for posada, or shelter. Fun and merrymaking centered around a pinata follows.

PHILIPPINE CHRISTMAS. Dec 16- Jan 6, 1973. Philippine Islands. "Believed to be world's longest Christmas celebration."

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'SENSITIVE' SOCIAL SECURITY

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The Award, a sculpture, was created by Swiss sculptor Max Bill.

H.L. Hunt

USIA WORKS FOR
THE UNITED STATES

Recently the Ukrainian Congress in the United States, composed primarily of exiles from that communist-controlled land, awarded its "Shevchenko Freedom Award" to Frank Shakespeare, director of the United States Information Agency (USIA). The award is named for the nineteenth century poet Taras Shevchenko, a patriot and lover of freedom. Mr. Shakespeare received the award for his patriotism and firm anti- communism.

When Shakespeare became head of the USIA in 1969, the agency was damaging rather than improving our image abroad. Edward Barett, dean of the Columbia University graduate school of journalism, had told a congressional subcommittee in August of 1968: "The image of the United States abroad is now at an all- time low."

The USIA was dominated by farleftists who presented a negative image of our country and refused to speak out against communism. USIA libraries in foreign countries were well stocked with "liberal" and leftist books and periodicals, but contained practically nothing by any anti- communist or constructive author.

In his four years in office, Frank Shakespeare has completely reversed these policies. He has instructed USIA employees to tell the truth about communist ambitions and initiated a program to counteract anti-United States propaganda coming from Hanoi. He has won the respect of USIA personnel and has refused to be sidetracked by criticism from the mass media. Said one veteran employee of the agency: "Shakespeare's directorship of the USIA stands unequaled." Frank Shakespeare's USIA is one of the few agencies in our government still speaking out against communism. His example should be widely imitated. HLH

Inside Labor

By Victor Riesel

Behind Phase Three:
Nixon Seeks Tough Hand on Health Costs, Food Prices, Public Employes, Mass Industries

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WASHINGTON-- 'Tis a puzzlement. Ted Kennedy has just declared that Richard Nixon has done something right. And on the homefront. And in the "wage- price freeze of 1971." It "was right," averred Sen. Kennedy.

If this reflects the mood on the Hill in January there will be economic controls-- of some sort-- right to 1976. But of whatever sort, Phase Three, as planned by the President, will have some tough mandatory regulations built in.

But controls could end far short of 1976 if this Continental Congress revolts. Its front lines are to key congressional groups-- the House Banking and Currency Committee and the Joint Economic Committee-- on which sit some mighty militant "new politics" and some old labor champions who actually want no controls.

Point is-- and it's your pay, salaries and store prices which are involved-- there's heavy behind- the- scenes bargaining over just how tough these revised controls will be, how extensive and how they'll be operated.

On the basis of private and candid conversations with the two or three men who are making national White House policy, I can report that neither President Nixon nor Cabinet superchief Treasury Secretary George Shultz (the only Cabinet officer who also operates out of a secluded White House suite) are wedded to any formula.

But the President's special handful of braintrusters aren't exactly sitting down, or golfing out of range of the curious eyes and ears of, or dealing with emissaries of, the nation's labor chiefs without some definitive ideas to try for size.

First, there are intricate negotiations to get AFL— CIO president George Meany back onto some new national tripartite control board, which is expected to replace the current Pay Board and Price Commission. Or if not on it, would labor at last "set up an advisory or consultative board"? Or at least promise to go along with the new control structure and help it succeed?

There is eagerness in the very highest White House circles to tamp costs and prices in three areas-- health services, retail food outlets, and the public employe sector, (state, county, municipal)-- meaning police, firefighters, sanitation men as well as the non-uniformed civil services.

Special boards could be set up to monitor these areas. But the format is not important for the moment.

Most "interesting" to the President's policymakers as they study alternatives is the structure of the Labor Dept.'s quasi- autonomous Construction Industry Stabilization Committee, headed by the slightly mellowing, once- terrible "Mr. Bang," the erudite Harvard professor John Dunlop. This is a tripartite board-- labor, management and the public. It is a national policy- making committee which must approve new contracts fed to it by craft boards-- covering some 17 fields such as plumbing, electrical work, etc.

Thus, the President could wipe out the Pay Board and the Price Commission and related committees.

And he could set up a new national pay- price board which would cut across industry lines. Then there could be a handful of industrial boards-- to cover auto, steel, trucking (or all transportation), electrical work and production, etc. The President doesn't want a bulky, intricate bureaucracy. But it would take only seven or eight groups (such as the bipartisan labor- management construction craft boards) to monitor the nation's wages and prices.

Or there could be four or five regional across- the- board committees, reporting to the national board in Washington.

These would monitor only the big industries and unions-- the auto manufacturers and the United Auto Workers; Trucking Employers, Inc. and the Teamsters; the big steel industry and the United Steelworkers of America, for example. The rest of the nation's business and employes would be exempt because the White House would expect them to follow the wage- price-cost patterns of the big fellows.

"We're going in for genuine consultation," said one of the President's intimates. "There isn't anything we see as sacred in appraising the present control system. We could change it. We could leave it. We have no predetermined answers. Of course, we have been studying hard. But you can't go into a process of consultation effectively if you make your mind up first."

Point is that the powerful labor groups now are committed to across- the- board controls. They're saying: If there is no control of interest, dividends, doctors', lawyers', dentists' fees, prices, profits, costs, all income as well as wages and salaries-- then there will be no controls at all.

The labor chiefs are in a position to stop the President. Meany has put the federation in such a public posture on an economic freeze that they can't back off. There is little doubt in the national AFL— CIO headquarters that their Congressional allies can stop the President's request for renewal of his control powers before May 1.

The President is aware of labor's political strength. He, like Meany, has counted votes. So they're bargaining behind the scenes. The patient homefront peacemaker is George Shultz. So vital are these negotiations that soon enough, in some circles, they'll be calling Kissinger the international Shultz.

Washington Merry-Go-Round

By Jack Anderson

JACK ANDERSON SAYS:
When Murder is
Forgotten

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WASHINGTON-- In all the hoopla about the million-dollar sacking of the Bureau of Indian Affairs building last month, the Indian's legitimate cries for help have been largely drowned out.

The Broken Treaties Papers, taken by the ton from the building are made available to us by the Indians, tell of land deals, water grabs and appalling neglect by the federal government.

But the small stories found in the documents are often more poignant than the big scandals. Document after document touches on the same theme: The daily struggle by the Indians for dignity, for equal treatment as Americans.

There's a confidential murder report, for example, from BIA investigator Peter Three Stars. It is written in staid, police- blotter language, but near the end, the emotion finally breaks through. Tersely, Peter Three Stars describes the brutal murder of two old Indian women last June on the Wisconsin reservation of the Lac du Flambeau Chippewas. "On June 13, two elderly, local tribal members were severely beaten," begins the report. "One died almost instantly, and the other remained alive for five dyas."

When white women are murdered in Wisconsin, the police respond swiftly. But the savage beating of two Indian women, apparently, was considered less urgent.

Reports Peter Three Stars: "The State Crime Laboratory was called the morning of the murders. They finally showed up around 4 p.m. and stayed around for an hour."

Weeks later, the tribe still had heard nothing from the state lab. "The Sheriff's office told the Tribal Chairman at one point to quit calling them regarding the murders," recounts Peter Three Stars.

--Appeal to FBI--

The FBI often investigates Indians who commit crimes, so the tribal leaders thought the FBI might be willing to investigate a crime against the Indians.

"On July 7," relates Peter Three Stars, "the Tribal Council appealed to the FBI to intervene as they felt the state and local enforcement officials were not doing anything to solve the murders.

"By the letter of July 19, the Acting Director of the FBI, Mr. Gray, advised the Council he did not have any jurisdiction in Lac du Flambeau" and told the Indians to try the state government.

The tribal Council then turned to Wisconsin's Governor Patrick Lucey and Attorney General Robert Warren, begging them to investigate the murders so that "justice may prevail." The governor sent back a perfunctory response, expressing "hope" Warren would do something. Warren simply ignored the appeal.

The tribal leaders, meanwhile, developed their own leads and tried to press them on the local sheriff. On August 9, according to Peter Three Stars, they "accosted Sheriff John Scott...They advised Sheriff Scott they had information and possible leads."

The sheriff promised to send divers to search a nearby lake for clues "the next day." It was several days later, of course, before the divers showed up.

At this point in his report, Peter Three Stars, an Oglala Sioux, can no longer contain his outrage. Suddenly, an agonized appeal disrupts his flat, factual prose.

"What else can the tribe do to get action toward resolving the two murders?!!!! he pleads. "Until overt action is taken to crack this case, the local people, both tribal and non-tribal, will continue to live in constant fear of being the next victims."

Footnote: To bring the case up to date, my associate Les Whitten contacted tribal chairman William Wildcat at his Chippewa headquarters. "Finally, the state came down, and we gave them our clues, and they have a suspect," he said. "We got almost no help from the local people. It took us four months to get the wheels moving."

--Letter from Shipboard--

Ten seamen from the Navy cargo ship Francis Marion sent a signed complaint to Navy chief Adm. Elmo Zumwalt.

"We feel it's about time someone wrote about the conditions and harassment on board," they wrote. They griped about little things like haircut standards. "You almost have to go bald," they complained.

But what was "really bothering the crew," they said, was the condition of the ship. They cited such failings as generators that don't load properly, noisy reduction gears, metal slivers in the oil strainer, faulty evaporators and bad pumps. The ship was unfit to leave the pier they said.

Not until we heard about it and began asking questions, however, did the Navy belatedly respond. Next day, a long letter was rushed off to the seamen conceding much of their criticism was justified.

Hal Boyle

NEW YORK (AP) — Things a columnist might never know if he didn't open his mail:

We often overlook the power of things near us that we don't appreciate. The Gulf Stream is a good example. All the rivers on earth, if multiplied more than 20 times, couldn't exceed its splendid outpour of 100 billion tons of water per hour.

To the National Geographic Society we are also indebted for this timely nugget of holiday knowledge: It was President Franklin Pierce who requested the first Christmas tree for the White House in 1856.

Students who wish to study a modern language which is easy to remember might take up one called Taki-taki, a dialect spoken in parts of South America. It has only 340 words. The English language, on the other hand, is currently estimated to have more than 490,000 words.

Quotable notables: "Public acclaim is the reward of scoundrels."—Bertrand Russell.

Is this any consolation to you? I haven't checked these figures out, but one self-proclaimed statistician claims that a man who is 50 years old has worked 6,000 days, slept 5,500 days, walked 800 days, amused himself 4,000 days, spent 1,500 days eating, and has been sick 450 days. But it all adds up to a sense of wonder about what it has all meant.

Household hint: If you place onions in a freezer for about 10 minutes before chopping them, you'll shedfewer tears.

It was Indiana humorist Don Herold who observed, "Work is a form of nervousness."

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POOR CHARLIE SAYS!

You may think people's prejudices are wrong, but they must be considered.

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We have been asked by several customers of the Board of Public Works, why the city should order them to do all the electrical work on the new park at their own expense. That is at the expense of the patrons of the light, water, and sewage department of the city. I would think that they could use the money that they get from Washington for that. Of course, you can tell that I am getting old by complaining about the amount of money the tax gatherers take.

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CHRISTMAS, 1972

Of all the holidays, this season of the year has a special quality that is both intangible and very real:

Being home for Christmas is a universal desire.

Brotherhood is proclaimed and practiced more than at any other time.

Differences are subdued and all of us concentrate more on how we are alike than on how we are not alike.

We think more about what we can do for somebody, rather than what we can do to somebody.

Each of us has his or her own anticipated excitements and the odds are better than usual that realizations will live up to expectations.

For this period, whatever our age, we all become young in attitude; whatever our faith, we share the holiday spirit; whether our collars are white or blue, we can resolve to do something special for our fellow human beings to add to the joy of living.

Merry Christmas!

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A DAY TO REMEMBER

This year, 1972, marks the 55th anniversary of a date that all Americans should mark well in their minds and hearts.

It was on November 7, 1917, that the free, democratic government of the Russian people was overthrown by the Bolsheviks, led by Leon Trotsky, head of the Red Army, with the connivance of Lenin, Stalin, and other members of the Communist International. Thereupon they imposed a dictatorship over the Russian people far worse than the Czar, who had been overthrown by the Russian people in the Spring of 1917.

History must certainly record that this was one of the greatest disastors to the free world. One can but imagine the wonderful world we might be living in today had the communists failed. Not only would Russia today in all probability be a free country with a two or more party system -- because that was the dream of the people -- but so would Latvia, Estonia, Lithuania, Poland, Czechoslovakia and more than twenty other countries. Cuba would probably be free and prosperous. It is quite likely that World War II might never have taken place, since Hitler used the threat of communism as a tool to come to power, and then collaborated with the Communists in carving up Europe.

Millions of people today live in slavery because of that one awful day on November 7, 1917, when freedom was exterminated in Russia. All Americans can thank their God that we are still privileged to live in a land of liberty.

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Best of all, perhaps, it is America where 50 million working men and women give up much of their hard-won leisure to help those less fortunate, by teaching, acting as nurses' aides, or as counsel and guide to young people as Scout Masters, Big Brothers, Junior Achievement advisers.

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Warner & Swasey

TOMORROW
DECEMBER 16 —
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CLOSING THE GATES CEREMONY. Dec. 16. Londonerry, County Londonderry, Northern Ireland.

DAY OF THE CONVENANT. Dec. 16. Republic of South Africa. Holiday established on Dec. 16, 1938, in commemoration of victory of the Voortrekkers over Dinjaan and his Zulus, of the Battle of Blood River.

LUDWIG van BEETHOVEN'S BIRTHDAY. Dec. 16. (Dec. 1770- Mar 26, 1827).

MAN WILL NEVER FLY MEMORIAL DAY. Dec. 16. Kill Devil Hills, NC. Purpose: "To perpetuate the motto 'Birds fly: Men drink'." Sponsor: Man Will Never Fly Memorial Society. Info. from: Never Fly Society, P. O. Box 1903, Kill Devil Hills, NC 27948.

NINE DAYS OF POSADAS. Dec. 16-24. Mexico. Processions of 'pilgrims' knock at door asking for posada, or shelter. Fun and merrymaking centered around a pinata follows.

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Dr. Edwin C. Jahn, professor of chemistry at the State University of New York College of Forestry, was nominated by Dartmouth College for his help in establishing the Cellulose Research Institute and the Polymer Research Center.

Sir Alastair Pilkington, senior technical director of Pilkington Brothers Ltd., was the inventor of the float glass process and was nominated by Alfred University.

William G. Pfann, head of the department of crystal growth and zone melting research of Bell Laboratories was honored for his work in zone melting and was nominated in Pennyslvania.

Dr. Charles E. Reed, senior vice president and member of the corporate executive staff of General Electric Co., was nominated by Rensselaer Polytechnic Institute for his work with silicones.

Dr. Michael Tenenbau, president of Inland Steel Co., was nominated by Carnegie - Mellon University for his work on iron and steel metallurgy.

The Award, a sculpture, was created by Swiss sculptor Max Bill.

Recently the Ukrainian Congress in the United States, composed primarily of exiles from that communist-controlled land, awarded its "Shevchenko Freedom Award" to Frank Shakespeare, director of the United States Information Agency (USIA). The award is named for the nineteenth century poet Taras Shevchenko, a patriot and lover of freedom. Mr. Shakespeare received the award for his patriotism and firm anti- communism.

When Shakespeare became head of the USIA in 1969, the agency was damaging rather than improving our image abroad. Edward Barett, dean of the Columbia University graduate school of journalism, had told a congressional subcommittee in August of 1968: "The image of the United States abroad is now at an all- time low."

The USIA was dominated by farleftists who presented a negative image of our country and refused to speak out against communism. USIA libraries in foreign countries were well stocked with "liberal" and leftist books and periodicals, but contained practically nothing by any anti- communist or constructive author.

In his four years in office, Frank Shakespeare has completely reversed these policies. He has instructed USIA employees to tell the truth about communist ambitions and initiated a program to counteract anti-United States propaganda coming from Hanoi. He has won the respect of USIA personnel and has refused to be sidetracked by criticism from the mass media. Said one veteran employee of the agency: "Shakespeare's directorship of the USIA stands unequaled." Frank Shakespeare's USIA is one of the few agencies in our government still speaking out against communism. His example should be widely imitated. HLH

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USIA WORKS FOR
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Inside Labor

By Victor Riesel

Behind Phase Three:
Nixon Seeks Tough Hand on Health Costs, Food Prices, Public Employes, Mass Industries

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WASHINGTON-- 'Tis a puzzlement. Ted Kennedy has just declared that Richard Nixon has done something right. And on the homefront. And in the "wage- price freeze of 1971." It "was right," averred Sen. Kennedy.

If this reflects the mood on the Hill in January there will be economic controls-- of some sort-- right to 1976. But of whatever sort, Phase Three, as planned by the President, will have some tough mandatory regulations built in.

But controls could end far short of 1976 if this Continental Congress revolts. Its front lines are to key congressional groups-- the House Banking and Currency Committee and the Joint Economic Committee-- on which sit some mighty militant "new politics" and some old labor champions who actually want no controls.

Point is-- and it's your pay, salaries and store prices which are involved-- there's heavy behind- the- scenes bargaining over just how tough these revised controls will be, how extensive and how they'll be operated.

On the basis of private and candid conversations with the two or three men who are making national White House policy, I can report that neither President Nixon nor Cabinet superchief Treasury Secretary George Shultz (the only Cabinet officer who also operates out of a secluded White House suite) are wedded to any formula.

But the President's special handful of braintrusters aren't exactly sitting down, or golfing out of range of the curious eyes and ears of, or dealing with emissaries of, the nation's labor chiefs without some definitive ideas to try for size.

First, there are intricate negotiations to get AFL— CIO president George Meany back onto some new national tripartite control board, which is expected to replace the current Pay Board and Price Commission. Or if not on it, would labor at last "set up an advisory or consultative board"? Or at least promise to go along with the new control structure and help it succeed?

There is eagerness in the very highest White House circles to tamp costs and prices in three areas-- health services, retail food outlets, and the public employe sector, (state, county, municipal)-- meaning police, firefighters, sanitation men as well as the non-uniformed civil services.

Special boards could be set up to monitor these areas. But the format is not important for the moment.

Most "interesting" to the President's policymakers as they study alternatives is the structure of the Labor Dept.'s quasi- autonomous Construction Industry Stabilization Committee, headed by the slightly mellowing, once- terrible "Mr. Bang," the erudite Harvard professor John Dunlop. This is a tripartite board-- labor, management and the public. It is a national policy- making committee which must approve new contracts fed to it by craft boards-- covering some 17 fields such as plumbing, electrical work, etc.

Thus, the President could wipe out the Pay Board and the Price Commission and related committees.

And he could set up a new national pay- price board which would cut across industry lines. Then there could be a handful of industrial boards-- to cover auto, steel, trucking (or all transportation), electrical work and production, etc. The President doesn't want a bulky, intricate bureaucracy. But it would take only seven or eight groups (such as the bipartisan labor- management construction craft boards) to monitor the nation's wages and prices.

Or there could be four or five regional across- the- board committees, reporting to the national board in Washington.

These would monitor only the big industries and unions-- the auto manufacturers and the United Auto Workers; Trucking Employers, Inc. and the Teamsters; the big steel industry and the United Steelworkers of America, for example. The rest of the nation's business and employes would be exempt because the White House would expect them to follow the wage- price-cost patterns of the big fellows.

"We're going in for genuine consultation," said one of the President's intimates. "There isn't anything we see as sacred in appraising the present control system. We could change it. We could leave it. We have no predetermined answers. Of course, we have been studying hard. But you can't go into a process of consultation effectively if you make your mind up first."

Point is that the powerful labor groups now are committed to across- the- board controls. They're saying: If there is no control of interest, dividends, doctors', lawyers', dentists' fees, prices, profits, costs, all income as well as wages and salaries-- then there will be no controls at all.

The labor chiefs are in a position to stop the President. Meany has put the federation in such a public posture on an economic freeze that they can't back off. There is little doubt in the national AFL— CIO headquarters that their Congressional allies can stop the President's request for renewal of his control powers before May 1.

The President is aware of labor's political strength. He, like Meany, has counted votes. So they're bargaining behind the scenes. The patient homefront peacemaker is George Shultz. So vital are these negotiations that soon enough, in some circles, they'll be calling Kissinger the international Shultz.

Washington Merry-Go-Round

By Jack Anderson

JACK ANDERSON SAYS:
When Murder is
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WASHINGTON-- In all the hoopla about the million-dollar sacking of the Bureau of Indian Affairs building last month, the Indian's legitimate cries for help have been largely drowned out.

The Broken Treaties Papers, taken by the ton from the building are made available to us by the Indians, tell of land deals, water grabs and appalling neglect by the federal government.

But the small stories found in the documents are often more poignant than the big scandals. Document after document touches on the same theme: The daily struggle by the Indians for dignity, for equal treatment as Americans.

There's a confidential murder report, for example, from BIA investigator Peter Three Stars. It is written in staid, police- blotter language, but near the end, the emotion finally breaks through. Tersely, Peter Three Stars describes the brutal murder of two old Indian women last June on the Wisconsin reservation of the Lac du Flambeau Chippewas. "On June 13, two elderly, local tribal members were severely beaten," begins the report. "One died almost instantly, and the other remained alive for five dyas."

When white women are murdered in Wisconsin, the police respond swiftly. But the savage beating of two Indian women, apparently, was considered less urgent.

Reports Peter Three Stars: "The State Crime Laboratory was called the morning of the murders. They finally showed up around 4 p.m. and stayed around for an hour."

Weeks later, the tribe still had heard nothing from the state lab. "The Sheriff's office told the Tribal Chairman at one point to quit calling them regarding the murders," recounts Peter Three Stars.

--Appeal to FBI--

The FBI often investigates Indians who commit crimes, so the tribal leaders thought the FBI might be willing to investigate a crime against the Indians.

"On July 7," relates Peter Three Stars, "the Tribal Council appealed to the FBI to intervene as they felt the state and local enforcement officials were not doing anything to solve the murders.

"By the letter of July 19, the Acting Director of the FBI, Mr. Gray, advised the Council he did not have any jurisdiction in Lac du Flambeau" and told the Indians to try the state government.

The tribal Council then turned to Wisconsin's Governor Patrick Lucey and Attorney General Robert Warren, begging them to investigate the murders so that "justice may prevail." The governor sent back a perfunctory response, expressing "hope" Warren would do something. Warren simply ignored the appeal.

The tribal leaders, meanwhile, developed their own leads and tried to press them on the local sheriff. On August 9, according to Peter Three Stars, they "accosted Sheriff John Scott...They advised Sheriff Scott they had information and possible leads."

The sheriff promised to send divers to search a nearby lake for clues "the next day." It was several days later, of course, before the divers showed up.

At this point in his report, Peter Three Stars, an Oglala Sioux, can no longer contain his outrage. Suddenly, an agonized appeal disrupts his flat, factual prose.

"What else can the tribe do to get action toward resolving the two murders?!!!! he pleads. "Until overt action is taken to crack this case, the local people, both tribal and non-tribal, will continue to live in constant fear of being the next victims."

Footnote: To bring the case up to date, my associate Les Whitten contacted tribal chairman William Wildcat at his Chippewa headquarters. "Finally, the state came down, and we gave them our clues, and they have a suspect," he said. "We got almost no help from the local people. It took us four months to get the wheels moving."

--Letter from Shipboard--

Ten seamen from the Navy cargo ship Francis Marion sent a signed complaint to Navy chief Adm. Elmo Zumwalt.

"We feel it's about time someone wrote about the conditions and harassment on board," they wrote. They griped about little things like haircut standards. "You almost have to go bald," they complained.

But what was "really bothering the crew," they said, was the condition of the ship. They cited such failings as generators that don't load properly, noisy reduction gears, metal slivers in the oil strainer, faulty evaporators and bad pumps. The ship was unfit to leave the pier they said.

Not until we heard about it and began asking questions, however, did the Navy belatedly respond. Next day, a long letter was rushed off to the seamen conceding much of their criticism was justified.

Hal Boyle

NEW YORK (AP) — Things a columnist might never know if he didn't open his mail:

We often overlook the power of things near us that we don't appreciate. The Gulf Stream is a good example. All the rivers on earth, if multiplied more than 20 times, couldn't exceed its splendid outpour of 100 billion tons of water per hour.

To the National Geographic Society we are also indebted for this timely nugget of holiday knowledge: It was President Franklin Pierce who requested the first Christmas tree for the White House in 1856.

Students who wish to study a modern language which is easy to remember might take up one called Taki-taki, a dialect spoken in parts of South America. It has only 340 words. The English language, on the other hand, is currently estimated to have more than 490,000 words.

Quotable notables: "Public acclaim is the reward of scoundrels."—Bertrand Russell.

Is this any consolation to you? I haven't checked these figures out, but one self-proclaimed statistician claims that a man who is 50 years old has worked 6,000 days, slept 5,500 days, walked 800 days, amused himself 4,000 days, spent 1,500 days eating, and has been sick 450 days. But it all adds up to a sense of wonder about what it has all meant.

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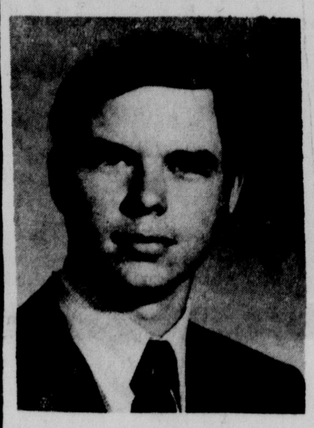
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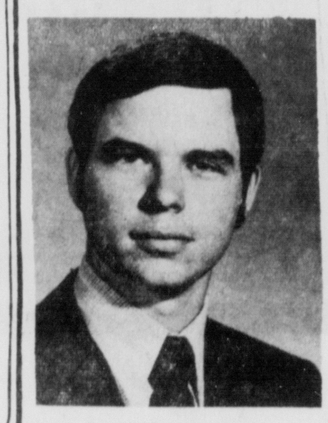

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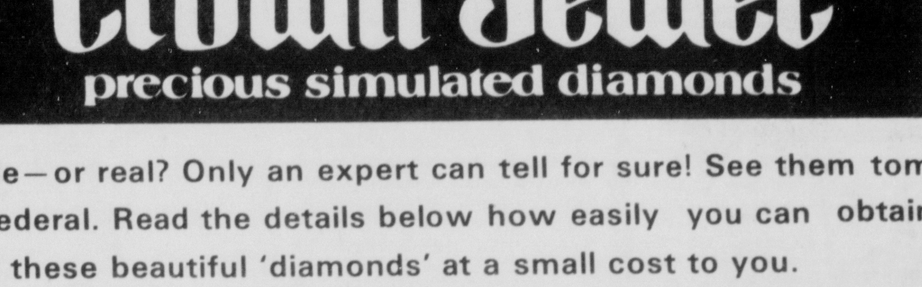
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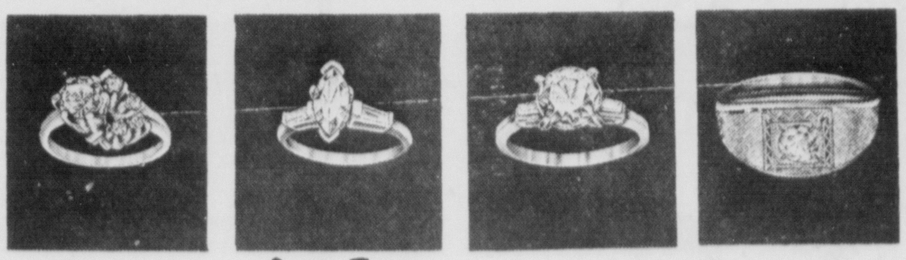
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Women's Page

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Christmas program set

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The program portrays the Christmas customs of countries around the world and is under the direction of Mrs. Nancy Graham, music instructor in the elementary school.

A Century of Crowning Glory

Hair Today, Hair Yesterday

By HELEN HENNESSY
NEA Women's Editor

NEW YORK — (NEA) — Not every woman has beautiful hair. But every woman can buy it. This isn't a new idea, however, and one well-known house, celebrating the 100th anniversary of mail order this year, has unearthed some of its old catalogues to prove it was offering women puffs, wigs, ear puffs, switches, transformations and other hair goodies several generations ago.

Those were the days when women realized they had to help their hair or they would lose it and they gave it 200 brush strokes every night with army discipline.

Hair is still a beauty ingredient and it is now possible for any woman to have any kind of hair she likes. Today you can have your hair tinted to match your fingernails or your costume or you can add a piece of hair in many shapes and sizes. But we haven't come up with all that many innovations since the old catalogues played a siren song for the ladies

It may be that women get smart and stay that way when it comes to improving their looks.

In any event, ladies' tastes don't seem to have changed all that much in 100 years. Who knows? Even the marcel wave may come back to us in this fashion age of nostalgia.

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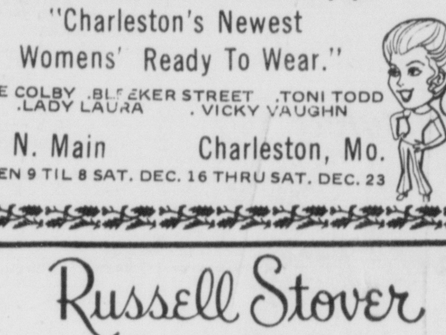

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Ice, sleet and snow have taken their toll again today on schools.

Schools closed today because of the bad weather are Matthews, Bell City, Richland, Scott County R-5, Benton R-4, Zalma, Delta, Cape Girardeau and State Training School 49.

Charleston is closed today because of the gas shortage. Thomas Wells, superintendent of Charleston schools, said the board of education Thursday night approved the lease of a standby heating unit for the Hearnes elementary school. The unit is expected to be ready for use Jan. 15.

The unit will be leased from Mechanical Systems Inc. of Sikeston, Wells said.

Precipitation in the form of rain and sleet last night and snow this morning unofficially measured one and one half inches. It appears as though the precipitation may stop, with less than a five per cent chance through Saturday.

There is a cold wave warning out for tonight and an expected low from zero to 10 above. It should be sunny and cold Saturday with the high around 30.

Stove damaged in fire caused by cold snap

CHARLESTON — The fire department was called at 7:30 a.m. today to the home of Emma Baltimore at 408 South Marshal St.

A regulator to a gas tank froze, releasing too much pressure to the kitchen stove. The stove was extensively damaged, and smoke damage to the rest of the house was reported.

2 no-fault bills filed

JEFFERSON CITY, Mo. (AP) — Two no-fault auto insurance plans with significant differences have been prefiled for the 1973 legislative session.

No-fault automobile insurance is an attempt to settle all accident claims, up to certain amounts, without regard to fault of either party and without legal action.

Under no-fault insurance earh party involved in an accident would be compensated by his own insurance company without suing or being sued.

The present system for compensation, called the tort system, requires that an injured party prove the other driver was legally at fault to collect compensation.

A no-fault bill failed in last year's legislative session.

A bill offered Thursday by State Sen. Ralph Uthalut Jr., R-New Florence, requires that no motor vehicle license will be issued to anyone who does not already possess proof of insurance for personal injury. That is a method commonly used in Europe to make sure that all drivers have accident coverage.

A bill by Rep. Vernon King, D-Lawson, requires every auto owner to have a policy automobible insurance, and adds that any person who fails to have insurance is not immune from liability for injuries or damages he may cause.

Uthlaut's proposal further specifies that any person who has a judgment against him for operating a car negligently cannot obtain a vehicle license unless the claim has been settled or at least $15,000 of the claim has been paid. King's bill has no such provision.

King's bill sets the limit for automatic payment under nofault at $5,000, while Uthlaut's bill sets a limit of $2,000.

Both bills retain the option that a person who sustains extremely serious injury may sue for negligence under the tort (injury) system, which is now the method used to collect damages in auto accidents.

Uthlaut's bill also provides for a system of "deductibles" similar to the types of insurance already in use, except that his bill says a policy owner can choose amounts as high as $250, $500, or $1,000 which he would agree to pay personally.

King's bill contains a provision requiring that, if requested by an insurance company, the physician or hospital must furnish a written report detailing all costs, dates, treatment, condition and history of the injured party, and further specifying that all charges for services by hospitals or doctors must be in line with what the "person or institution customarily charges for like products, services and accommodations."

Minor differences between the bills include a provision in King's bill allowing compensation for treatment of those people who rely "upon spiritual means through prayer alone for healing."

Uthlaut's bill provides that persons who were unemployed when the accident occurs shall receive compensation based on 75 per cent of the previous year's salary, if the accident injuries prevent them from holding a job.

Both men included similar proposals within their bills. Both list death, loss of limbs, permanent disfigurement, and serious fractures as injuries from which a person can collect compensation through the tort system.

Uthlaut's bill lists total or partial loss of hearing or sight in this category, while King's bill lists "permanent loss of a bodily function."

King's bill also restricts serious fractures as "fracture to a weight-bearing bone."

Both bills also exclude from no-fault coverage any drive who is injured while under the influence of alcohol or narcotic drug, any driver injured while committing a felony and anyone who willfully commits injury to himself.

Police seek trailer owner

NEW MADRID — New Madrid County sheriff's department is seeking the owner of an empty cotton trailer which was found Thursday about 3 p.m., partially submerged in the first Little River Drainage ditch west of Lilbourn.

Deputy Sheriff Bo Wingo said the trailer has red sideboards and wire sides. Persons who might have information about the trailer are asked to call the sheriff's office in New Madrid at 748-5250.

Trailer ransacked

NEW MADRID — An office trailer at Louie's Mobile Home Sales on Highway 61 and 62 Jurction was broken into Thursday night. An adding machine, corporation seal and envelopes were stolen. Desk drawers had been ransacked and papers thrown around.

A window was broken to gain entry.

Fire truck discussed in council

BLOOMFIELD — City Council members discussed purchasing a new fire truck with some of the city's $11,056 received earlier this week in a revenue- sharing check, but no definite plans were made during Thursday night's council meeting.

The council also decided to contact the Missouri Division of Health for advice on city trash disposal as some complaints have been received concerning the present location of trash disposals.

THE MINI GOES BOWLING

WELLINGTON, N.Z. (AP) — New Zealand women lawn bowlers have made a late move to get with the minidress look.

Their association says they can shorten their bowling dresses by two inches — bringing hemlines up to 16 inches above the ground, which is about 2 inches below the average knee.

New Zealand remains a bastion of the miniskirt. Attempts by clothing manufacturers to lower hemlines have been defied by most women, who shorten the dresses before they wear them.

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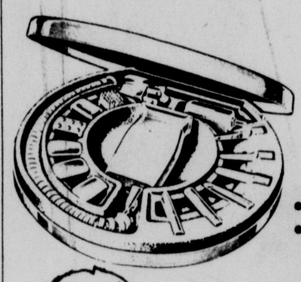
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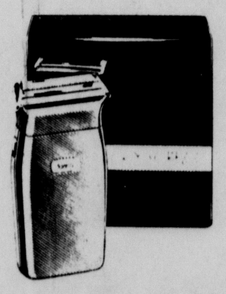
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Several area schools closed

Ice, sleet and snow have taken their toll again today on schools.

Schools closed today because of the bad weather are Matthews, Bell City, Richland, Scott County R-5, Benton R-4, Zalma, Delta, Cape Girardeau and State Training School 49.

Charleston is closed today because of the gas shortage. Thomas Wells, superintendent of Charleston schools, said the board of education Thursday night approved the lease of a standby heating unit for the Hearnes elementary school. The unit is expected to be ready for use Jan. 15.

The unit will be leased from Mechanical Systems Inc. of Sikeston, Wells said.

Precipitation in the form of rain and sleet last night and snow this morning unofficially measured one and one half inches. It appears as though the precipitation may stop, with less than a five per cent chance through Saturday.

There is a cold wave warning out for tonight and an expected low from zero to 10 above. It should be sunny and cold Saturday with the high around 30.

Stove damaged in fire caused by cold snap

CHARLESTON — The fire department was called at 7:30 a.m. today to the home of Emma Baltimore at 408 South Marshal St.

A regulator to a gas tank froze, releasing too much pressure to the kitchen stove. The stove was extensively damaged, and smoke damage to the rest of the house was reported.

2 no-fault bills filed

JEFFERSON CITY, Mo. (AP) — Two no-fault auto insurance plans with significant differences have been prefiled for the 1973 legislative session.

No-fault automobile insurance is an attempt to settle all accident claims, up to certain amounts, without regard to fault of either party and without legal action.

Under no-fault insurance earh party involved in an accident would be compensated by his own insurance company without suing or being sued.

The present system for compensation, called the tort system, requires that an injured party prove the other driver was legally at fault to collect compensation.

A no-fault bill failed in last year's legislative session.

A bill offered Thursday by State Sen. Ralph Uthalut Jr., R-New Florence, requires that no motor vehicle license will be issued to anyone who does not already possess proof of insurance for personal injury. That is a method commonly used in Europe to make sure that all drivers have accident coverage.

A bill by Rep. Vernon King, D-Lawson, requires every auto owner to have a policy automobible insurance, and adds that any person who fails to have insurance is not immune from liability for injuries or damages he may cause.

Uthlaut's proposal further specifies that any person who has a judgment against him for operating a car negligently cannot obtain a vehicle license unless the claim has been settled or at least $15,000 of the claim has been paid. King's bill has no such provision.

King's bill sets the limit for automatic payment under nofault at $5,000, while Uthlaut's bill sets a limit of $2,000.

Both bills retain the option that a person who sustains extremely serious injury may sue for negligence under the tort (injury) system, which is now the method used to collect damages in auto accidents.

Uthlaut's bill also provides for a system of "deductibles" similar to the types of insurance already in use, except that his bill says a policy owner can choose amounts as high as $250, $500, or $1,000 which he would agree to pay personally.

King's bill contains a provision requiring that, if requested by an insurance company, the physician or hospital must furnish a written report detailing all costs, dates, treatment, condition and history of the injured party, and further specifying that all charges for services by hospitals or doctors must be in line with what the "person or institution customarily charges for like products, services and accommodations."

Minor differences between the bills include a provision in King's bill allowing compensation for treatment of those people who rely "upon spiritual means through prayer alone for healing."

Uthlaut's bill provides that persons who were unemployed when the accident occurs shall receive compensation based on 75 per cent of the previous year's salary, if the accident injuries prevent them from holding a job.

Both men included similar proposals within their bills. Both list death, loss of limbs, permanent disfigurement, and serious fractures as injuries from which a person can collect compensation through the tort system.

Uthlaut's bill lists total or partial loss of hearing or sight in this category, while King's bill lists "permanent loss of a bodily function."

King's bill also restricts serious fractures as "fracture to a weight-bearing bone."

Both bills also exclude from no-fault coverage any drive who is injured while under the influence of alcohol or narcotic drug, any driver injured while committing a felony and anyone who willfully commits injury to himself.

Police seek trailer owner

NEW MADRID — New Madrid County sheriff's department is seeking the owner of an empty cotton trailer which was found Thursday about 3 p.m., partially submerged in the first Little River Drainage ditch west of Lilbourn.

Deputy Sheriff Bo Wingo said the trailer has red sideboards and wire sides. Persons who might have information about the trailer are asked to call the sheriff's office in New Madrid at 748-5250.

Trailer ransacked

NEW MADRID — An office trailer at Louie's Mobile Home Sales on Highway 61 and 62 Jurction was broken into Thursday night. An adding machine, corporation seal and envelopes were stolen. Desk drawers had been ransacked and papers thrown around.

A window was broken to gain entry.

Fire truck discussed in council

BLOOMFIELD — City Council members discussed purchasing a new fire truck with some of the city's $11,056 received earlier this week in a revenue- sharing check, but no definite plans were made during Thursday night's council meeting.

The council also decided to contact the Missouri Division of Health for advice on city trash disposal as some complaints have been received concerning the present location of trash disposals.

THE MINI GOES BOWLING

WELLINGTON, N.Z. (AP) — New Zealand women lawn bowlers have made a late move to get with the minidress look.

Their association says they can shorten their bowling dresses by two inches — bringing hemlines up to 16 inches above the ground, which is about 2 inches below the average knee.

New Zealand remains a bastion of the miniskirt. Attempts by clothing manufacturers to lower hemlines have been defied by most women, who shorten the dresses before they wear them.

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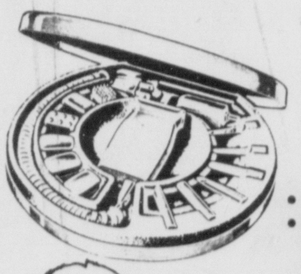

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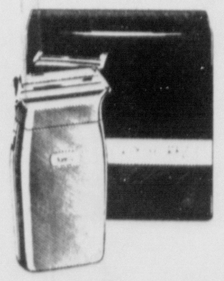

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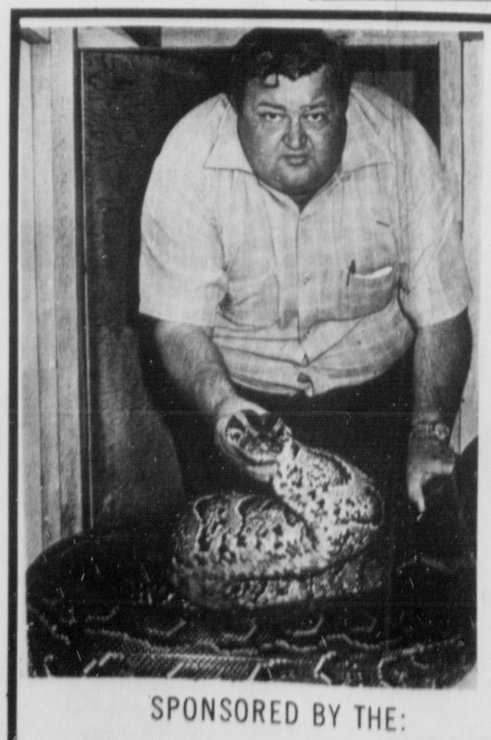

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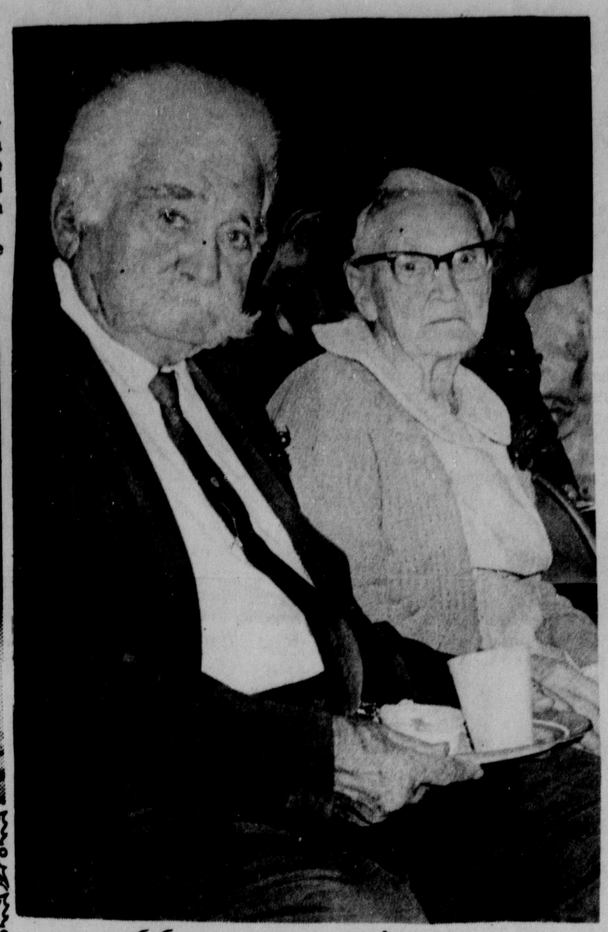

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Other cases disposed of included: Tommy Staggs, 940 Lake St., assault and battery, fined $40; Clyde Carson Fodge, 1513 E. Gladys, assault and battery, dismissed; Bobby W. Young, 1707 Kentucky, displaying a deadly and dangerous weapon, fined $110; Paula Johnson, 129 Fourth St., petit larceny, 20-day sentence suspended on good behavior; Gary Donald Martin of Essex, assault and battery, dismissed; Winston Wade Young, 1707 Kentucky, assualt and battery, fined $35.

David Michael Watkins, 619 Dorothy, disorderly conduct, fined $35; Brenda Alford, 110 Pin Oak, speeding, fined $20; Donald Stephen Cope, 611 Lake St., no city sticker, fined $11; Detta G. Johnson, 211 Selma, destroying public property, dismissed on payment of restitution; Joe L. Carlock, Route Four, careless and imprudent driving, fined $20. Richard L. Brandon, 101 Spring, careless and imprudent driving, dismissed; Lone Baker, 411 Kendall, careless and imprudent driving, dismissed.

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Melvin Lewis, Delta Motel, peace disturbance and trespassing, dismissed; David Linebaugh of Charleston, public intoxication, $19; Jackie Lee Drake of Canalou, careless and imprudent driving fined $25; John Hickman of Morehouse, public intoxication, forfeited bond of $19, fined $19 on a second charge of public intoxication.

Tex E. Reeves, 105 Lescher DRive, driving while intoxicated, fined $110; Darrell Gene Huffman of Morehouse, careless and imprudent driving, fined $29; Donald W. Campbell, 504 Carroll, speeding, fined $25; Rebecca Pauline Gentles, of East Prairie, speeding, fined $30; Robert C. Wallace, 134 Fourth St., no city sticker, fined $11; Lowell Hemba Young, 1028 N. Kingshighway, careless and imprudent driving, fined $19; Willie Boshell of Warren, Mich., public intoxication, fined $19; Earnest Green, 206 Felker, public intoxication, fined $19.

Grain Market

CHICAGO (AP) — Prices moved generally higher in early dealings on the Chicago Board of Trade today.

At the opening, wheat was 1 to 2 cents a bushel higher, December 2.71½; corn was ½ lower to 1 cent hgher, December 1.62½; oats were ¾ lower, March 1.03 and soybeans were ½ to 3½ cents higher, January 4.36.

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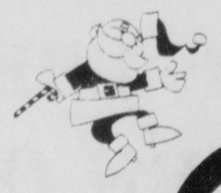

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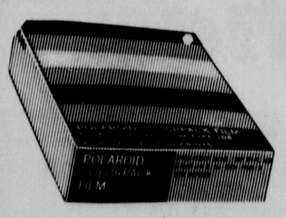

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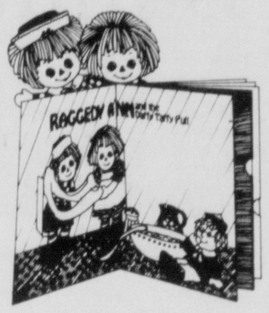

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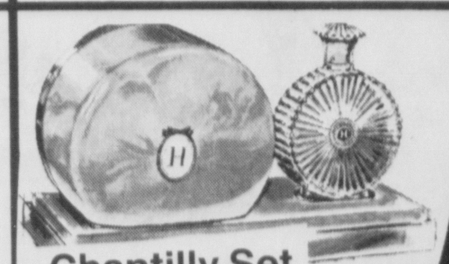

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WINE SELLS

WINNIPEG (AP) — Frank Syms, chairman of the Manitoba Liquor Control Commission, says sales of wine in the province should reach a million gallons this year. Last year, 974,718 gallons of table and fortified wines, domestic and imported, were sold in Manitoba, some 129,000 gallons more than in the previous year.

Dear Santa

Dear Santa Claus
My name is Jimmy Allen Francis. And I would like a SSP Smashup derby set. And a Monoply game and some more arrows for my bow and some clothes. Goodby.
Jimmy Allen Francis
Sikeston

—

Dear Santa,
My name is Christy and I am a little girl 22 months old. My Mommy is writing this for me. Please bring me a Baby Tender Love doll, jack in the box, a fisher price moo-cow, a doll stroller, some dishes, and a view master like my sister Robin. I think I have been a pretty good girl this year. Please don't forget all the other boys and girls.
Love,
Christy Lizenbee
Sikeston

—

Dear Santa,
My name is Robin and I am a little girl 5 years old. For Christmas this year I would like for you to bring me a "Mia" doll with growing hair, a doll high chair, a desk, lite brite, viewmaster, dishes, and anything else you would like for me to have. I have tried to be a good girl but sometimes its kinda hard since I had to start to kindergarden this year. Please don't forget the other boys and girls and my little sister Christy.
Love,
Robin Lizenbee
Sikeston

—

Dear Santa,
I want boots, sweet cookie, long dress, new stockings, baby that cries, baby that sings, don't bug me, doll house, Barbie doll, ants in the pants, and a twister. Also, I want a baton, teddy bear, books, minne mouse watch, skates, umbrella, snoopy toothbrush, a Mrs. Beasley doll, sewing machine, vanity and bench, lunch box, camper, crissy, sleeping bag.
I'll leave you some cake on the table.
If you can't leave all of this stuff, leave half of it. If you can't leave half of it, I'll take anything you leave.
Love,
Leslie Willis
Sikeston
Age 6

—

Dear Santa Claus,
My name is Peggy Spencer and I am 3½ years old and my little sister Missy is 1½ years old. We have both been very good this year so please bring us some toys for Christmas, I want a Drowsy doll and a diaper bag & bottles for her. Missy wants a Bean Bag doll and a musical Xylophone you pull with a string.
We will be at our Mamaw and Papaw Vandiver's house, at Canalou, Christmas Eve.
Please don't forget all our cousins. We love you Santa!
Thank you
Peggy & Missy Spencer
Desloge, Mo.

—

Dear Santa Claus,
My name is Christopher Michael Acord. I am only 8 months old so my Mommy is writing for me. Since this is my very first Christmas, I don't know what to ask for. I've been a real good boy (except for a few times.)
Since I won't get to be with my Aggie, give her a nice Christmas, Also my cousins, Michael, Pam, and Becky. If you see my "bitty Grandma" tell her I love her.
Have a nice Christmas Santa, and don't forget all the boys and girls who are less fortunate than I.
I'll have milk & cookies waiting.
Love,
Chris
Columbus, Ga.
P.S. If you have any extra toys, bring me a few. Oh! don't forget Mommy & Daddy.

—

Dear Santa:
My name is Jimmy Harris, and I am three years old.
I guess I have been pretty good this year, but you know how little boys are.
I have seen you alot of places this Year, and everytime I talk to You, but I pull away so I hope you come and see me this year. I would like you to bring me a Pillsberry Dough Boy, ring, pajamas, and a bowling set and all sorts of toys & clothes. Santa don't forget my Momma, Aunt Sharon, Grandma & Grandpa Wallace too. I will have you something good waiting Santa Claus.
P.S. Please don't forget Baby Junior in Wichita, Kansas, cause he has been good and this is his first Christmas and he's my favorite cousin. Thank you Santa Claus. I will be waiting for you.
Jimmy Harris
Sikeston

—

Dear Santa,
My name is Shannon and I am three years old. For Christmas I would like to have a doll that drinks and wets, a doll stroller, a pair of boots like Daddy's and anything else you want to bring me.
Please remember my grandpas and grandmas, Ricky, Darrell, Trudy, Joe, Brent & Sherie. Be especially good to the needy children.
Love,
Shannon L. Amos
Sikeston

—

Dear Santa,
I am 7 years old. For Christmas please bring me a Kansas City Chiefs football uniform, a bicycle, Dodge'N Bump Game, Headache game, and Trouble, and a Mickey Mouse watch, a model for me to put together, a talking-viewmaster, computer garage, Bops in Robbers Game, Road Race Set, Walkie- Talkie, How the Grinch Stole Christmas Book, Mickey Mouse bank, a book on football called "Star Quarterbacks of The NFL"
Brooks Sherman
Sikeston

—

Dear Santa Claus,
I am five years old for Christmas I want Sweet Cookie doll, Hi Dottie doll, Busy Barbie and Busy Ken, a new Tea Set, a bike, Hi-Ho Cheerio Game, An Adams Family Puzzle, Boxing Kangaroo, Winnie the Pooh houseshoes.
P.S. We will leave you cookies and Hot chocolate.
Your friend,
Barbara Sherman
Sikeston

—

Dear Santa,
My name is Kevin and I am only 2½ yrs. old but I have been a real good boy this year. Please bring me a Tricicle, a Blythe, a play monkey and a snoopy.
We will leave you some candy on the table.
Your friend,
Kevin Castleberry
Sikeston
P.S. I love you Santa

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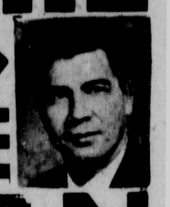
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Looking Back

Bulldogs drop game

50 years ago
December 15, 1922

Miller and Weltecke of Sikeston have been awarded the contract to erect the high school building at Lilbourn at $12,302. Gus Lowery of Lilbourn will build the city hall in that place for $5,950.

At a meeting of the Masonic fraternity at the Odd Fell Hall Thursday, the following officers were elected for the ensuing year: A.C. Barrett, W.M.; E.E. Arterburn, S.W.; Roy P. Johnson, J..W.; Ralph Anderson, treasurer; and A.A. Harrison, secretary.

Byron Crane, of our star athletes, has received an invitation from the Booster Club of the School of Mines at Rolla to be present at their exercise to be held December 14 to 16.

Pupils of Mrs. Ralph Anderson presented a recital at the Methodist Church Wednesday. The following participated: Olga Matthews, Lynette Stallcup, Wootson Inez Hollingsworth, Billie Tanner, Virginia Hudson, Anita Winchester, Hazel Jennings, Dorothy Jones, Lucille Stubblefield, Elizabeth Stallcup, Vernon Skillman and Dorothy Lillard.

40 years ago
December 15, 1932

A select group of dance pupils of Miss Carlyn Nussbaum of Cape Girardeau will present a revue on December 21 at the Malone Theatre in connection with the regular picture program. Miss Virginia Baker will be the accompanist next Wednesday.

Dear Santa: I am three years old and have been a good boy this year. I want you to bring me a train and lots of little toys I can play inside with, for you brought me a tricycle and wagon last year. Bring plenty of apples, oranges, nuts and don't forget any little boys or girls this year. Wayne G. Limbaugh.

Dear Santa: I wish you would bring me a Cub Scout uniform and a pair of good ice skates. And Santa, don't gorget to bring the poor kids something good please. Lee Austin Bowman.

Dear Santa Claus: Will you please send me an all rubber doll with some clothes for it? I would also like to have some story books. Margaret Anthony.

30 years ago
December 15, 1942

Stricken with a heart seizure while engaged in firing the furnace in his home at Morehouse, Charles Hileman, 80, died Friday morning.

Ira Thomas Cannon, 65-year- old former Morley farmer, died at St. Louis at the home of a son, Noel Cannon Friday. He had been in ill health several years and in a critical condition four months.

Mrs. Jane Essary, believed to be at the age of 101, the oldest citizen of Scott County, died Monday at the home of a daughter, Mrs. Will Dye, six miles north of Sikeston. She had been ill four days, having developed pneumonia.

Members of the family here of Robert Lyman Ozment, petty officer, first class in the Navy, were informed that he was heard recently over a nationwide radio hookup and had told something of his experiences. Young Ozment, a brother of Mrs. Bill Carson and Mrs. John Gipson, is a son of Mrs. Ada Graham. He was at Pearl Harbor, December 7, 1941 when the Japanese launched their attack.

Gilbert Clinton, who has operated Gilbert's Cape at 109 North Kingshighway four years, has leased the establishment to Frank Atkinson.

20 years ago
December 15, 1952

East Prairie-- Funeral services for Mrs. Mary Emily Smith, 68, of Anniston, will be held tomorrow. Mrs. Smith died yesterday at the home of her daughter, Mrs. Otha Nunn of Anniston.

Albert Andrews Clayton, 76, died early Thursday in Sikeston. He had been a resident of Sikeston for the past 13 years.

The Golden Wedding Anniversary of Mr. and Mrs. W.C. Hutchason, was celebrated Sunday at their home in Vanduser.

Matthews-- Pfc. Bill Lancaster left Camp Drake in Japan Monday to sail for home. He is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Odis Lancaster of Matthews.

Coach Bill Sapp announced last night at the annual football banquet given in honor of the undefeated 1952 football team of Sikeston, that 27 men on the squad had been given letters for their achievements on the girdiron for the past year. He also announced that 15 others on the squad would be given provisional letters for their work this year. The lettermen are: Don Baker, Don Bohannon, Sam Bowman, William Brown, David Dye, Tom Dunaway, Dewey Gimlin, Dale Joyce, Bob Keasler, Pat Nickens, Jim Pinkstaff, Sam Tanner, Bob Tyrone, Keith Ziegenhorn, David Bailey, Garland Castleberry, Melvin Dace, Ronald Humes, Donald Lewis, Vernon Mathis, Noel Milton, Lee Shell, David Smith, Bob Stearns, Fred Steward, Dod Byer and Bob Lohr. Those receiving provisionals were: Bob Butler, Larry Jenkins, Buddy Modersbach, Jim Wallace, Richard Blackwell, Jerry Duke, Frank Edmiston, Bill Lathom, Bill Lewis, Glen Matthews, Tommy Murchison, Burt Rowe, Harold Ragains, Don Webb, Elvis Hazel and John Cowell.

The dedication services for the Garden of Memories, Sikeston's newest cemetery, will be held tomorrow.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Monan, Sikeston, are parents of a baby girl born on the 11th at the Delta Community Hospital.

Mr. and Mrs. Herbert Rone, Portageville, are parents of a baby girl born on the 11th.

Mr. and Mrs. Eric Klick, East Prairie, are parents of a baby boy born on the 11th.

Louis Valley Statler, 74, of Essex, died at the local hospital on Thursday.

Morehouse-- Clarence Savage, 18, son of Mr. and Mrs. Dewey Savage of Morehouse, left Tuesday for San Diego, Calif., where he will take 28 weeks in communications technician operator school.

The Jackson Indians beat the Sikeston Bulldogs last night in the consolation finals of the Big Four Basketball Tournament. The final score was 62- 44. Truman Blackman, Jackson's high scoring star, pushed 35 points through the net last night to take the scoring honors in the tournament.

Sgt. George Childers, Route 2, Sikeston is among the 11 Southeast Missouri soldiers who arrived Saturday in San Francisco from the Far East aboard the transport General M.C. Meigs.

The Prayer
from the Upper Room

The people that walked in darkness have seen a great light: they that dwell in the land of the shadow of death, upon them hath the light shined.

PRAYER: The world will ever be thanking Thee, O God, as we do this day, for the night Christ was born. May They eternal gift reside within us. In His name we praise Thee. Amen.

What's the law?

The case of the big-game hunt

By Jack Strauss, LL.B.

Ike and Mike decided to go to Africa on a safari in order to ***obtain publicity for the dairy corporation in which they were*** officers. And while hunting lions was a far cry from keeping cows contented, they did quite well as big game hunters.

They not only brought home a variety of wild animals, but they also managed to capture a great deal of space in newspapers which followed and described their exploits.

There were, however, some people who were not impressed with their accomplishments. Namely, the United States Department of Internal Revenue. When the corporation attempted to deduce the cost of the safari from its taxes as a business expense, the tax department disallowed it.

"Sending two of your officers to Africa," the corporation was told, "had nothing to do with your dairy business. After all, they were hunting lions and not cows."

"We had all the cows we wanted," was the answer. "What we needed was publicity and we milked the trip for all it was worth. Consequently, it was a ligitimate business trip and a proper business deduction."

The dispute ended up in court.

IF YOU WERE THE JUDGE, would you permit the corporation to deduct the cost of the big- game hunt as a business expense?

This is how the judge ruled: YES! The judge held that while the cost of a big- game hunt in Africa may not sound like an ordinary and necessary type of business expense for a dairy corporation, the evidence clearly showed that the trip had brought a great deal of free publicity for the corporation which was the purpose for the trip.

Consequently, concluded the judge, since the obtaining of publicity for a corporation is an ordinary and necessary corporate expense, the deduction was allowable.

(Based upon a 1955 U.S. Tax Court Decision)

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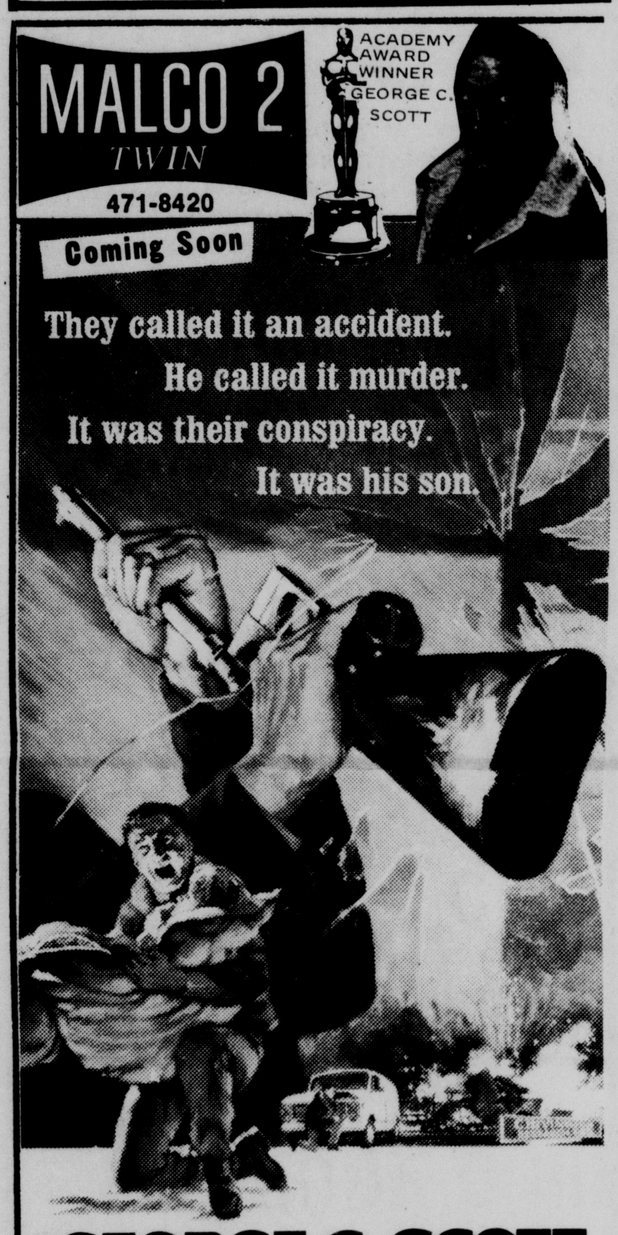
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Love,
Christy Lizenbee
Sikeston

Dear Santa,
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Love,
Leslie Willis
Sikeston
Age 6

Dear Santa Claus,
My name is Peggy Spencer and I am 3½ years old and my little sister Missy is 1½ years old. We have both been very good this year so please bring us some toys for Christmas, I want a Drowsy doll and a diaper bag & bottles for her. Missy wants a Bean Bag doll and a musical Xylophone you pull with a string.
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Please don't forget all our cousins. We love you Santa!
Thank you
Peggy & Missy Spencer
Desloge, Mo.

Dear Santa Claus,
My name is Christopher Michael Acord. I am only 8 months old so my Mommy is writing for me. Since this is my very first Christmas, I don't know what to ask for. I've been a real good boy (except for a few times.)
Since I won't get to be with my Aggie, give her a nice Christmas, Also my cousins, Michael, Pam, and Becky. If you see my "bitty Grandma" tell her I love her.
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Columbus, Ga.
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I guess I have been pretty good this year, but you know how little boys are.
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Sikeston

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Love,
Shannon L. Amos
Sikeston

Dear Santa,
I am 7 years old. For Christmas please bring me a Kansas City Chiefs football uniform, a bicycle, Dodge'N Bump Game, Headache game, and Trouble, and a Mickey Mouse watch, a model for me to put together, a talking viewmaster, computer garage, Bops in Robbers Game, Road Race Set, Walkie- Talkie, How the Grinch Stole Christmas Book, Mickey Mouse bank, a book on football called "Star Quarterbacks of The NFL"
Brooks Sherman
Sikeston

Dear Santa Claus,
I am five years old for Christmas I want Sweet Cookie doll, Hi Dottie doll, Busy Barbie and Busy Ken, a new Tea Set, a bike, Hi-Ho Cheerio Game, An Adams Family Puzzle, Boxing Kangaroo, Winnie the Pooh houseshoes.
P.S. We will leave you cookies and Hot chocolate.
Your friend,
Barbara Sherman
Sikeston

Dear Santa,
My name is Kevin and I am only 2½ yrs. old but I have been a real good boy this year. Please bring me a Tricicle, a Blythe, a play monkey and a snoopy.
We will leave you some candy on the table.
Your friend,
Kevin Castleberry
Sikeston
P.S. I love you Santa

WINE SELLS

WINNIPEG (AP) — Frank Syms, chairman of the Manitoba Liquor Control Commission, says sales of wine in the province should reach a million gallons this year. Last year, 974,718 gallons of table and fortified wines, domestic and imported, were sold in Manitoba, some 129,000 gallons more than in the previous year.

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The Prayer
from the Upper Room

The people that walked in darkness have seen a great light: they that dwell in the land of the shadow of death, upon them hath the light shined.
PRAYER: The world will ever be thanking Thee, O God, as we do this day, for the night Christ was born. May They eternal gift reside within us. In His name we praise Thee. Amen.

What's the law?

The case of the big-game hunt

By Jack Strauss, LL.B.

Ike and Mike decided to go to Africa on a safari in order to *obtain publicity for the dairy corporation in which they were* officers. And while hunting lions was a far cry from keeping cows contented, they did quite well as big game hunters.

They not only brought home a variety of wild animals, but they also managed to capture a great deal of space in newspapers which followed and described their exploits.

There were, however, some people who were not impressed with their accomplishments. Namely, the United States Department of Internal Revenue. When the corporation attempted to deduce the cost of the safari from its taxes as a business expense, the tax department disallowed it.

"Sending two of your officers to Africa," the corporation was told, "had nothing to do with your dairy business. After all, they were hunting lions and not cows."

"We had all the cows we wanted," was the answer. "What we needed was publicity and we milked the trip for all it was worth. Consequently, it was a ligitimate business trip and a proper business deduction."

The dispute ended up in court.

IF YOU WERE THE JUDGE, would you permit the corporation to deduct the cost of the big- game hunt as a business expense?

This is how the judge ruled: YES! The judge held that while the cost of a big- game hunt in Africa may not sound like an ordinary and necessary type of business expense for a dairy corporation, the evidence clearly showed that the trip had brought a great deal of free publicity for the corporation which was the purpose for the trip.

Consequently, concluded the judge, since the obtaining of publicity for a corporation is an ordinary and necessary corporate expense, the deduction was allowable.

(Based upon a 1955 U.S. Tax Court Decision)

Looking Back

Bulldogs drop game

50 years ago
December 15, 1922

Miller and Weltecke of Sikeston have been awarded the contract to erect the high school building at Lilbourn at $12,302. Gus Lowery of Lilbourn will build the city hall in that place for $5,950.

At a meeting of the Masonic fraternity at the Odd Fell Hall Thursday, the following officers were elected for the ensuing year: A.C. Barrett, W.M.; E.E. Arterburn, S.W.; Roy P. Johnson, J..W.; Ralph Anderson, treasurer; and A.A. Harrison, secretary.

Byron Crane, of our star athletes, has received an invitation from the Booster Club of the School of Mines at Rolla to be present at their exercise to be held December 14 to 16.

Pupils of Mrs. Ralph Anderson presented a recital at the Methodist Church Wednesday. The following participated: Olga Matthews, Lynette Stallcup, Wootson Inez Hollingsworth, Billie Tanner, Virginia Hudson, Anita Winchester, Hazel Jennings, Dorothy Jones, Lucille Stubblefield, Elizabeth Stallcup, Vernon Skillman and Dorothy Lillard.

40 years ago
December 15, 1932

A select group of dance pupils of Miss Carlyn Nussbaum of Cape Girardeau will present a revue on December 21 at the Malone Theatre in connection with the regular picture program. Miss Virginia Baker will be the accompanist next Wednesday.

Dear Santa: I am three years old and have been a good boy this year. I want you to bring me a train and lots of little toys I can play inside with, for you brought me a tricycle and wagon last year. Bring plenty of apples, oranges, nuts and don't forget any little boys or girls this year. Wayne G. Limbaugh.

Dear Santa: I wish you would bring me a Cub Scout uniform and a pair of good ice skates. And Santa, don't gorget to bring the poor kids something good please. Lee Austin Bowman.

Dear Santa Claus: Will you please send me an all rubber doll with some clothes for it? I would also like to have some story books. Margaret Anthony.

30 years ago
December 15, 1942

Stricken with a heart seizure while engaged in firing the furnace in his home at Morehouse, Charles Hileman, 80, died Friday morning.

Ira Thomas Cannon, 65-year- old former Morley farmer, died at St. Louis at the home of a son, Noel Cannon Friday. He had been in ill health several years and in a critical condition four months.

Mrs. Jane Essary, believed to be at the age of 101, the oldest citizen of Scott County, died Monday at the home of a daughter, Mrs. Will Dye, six miles north of Sikeston. She had been ill four days, having developed pneumonia.

Members of the family here of Robert Lyman Ozment, petty officer, first class in the Navy, were informed that he was heard recently over a nationwide radio hookup and had told something of his experiences. Young Ozment, a brother of Mrs. Bill Carson and Mrs. John Gipson, is a son of Mrs. Ada Graham. He was at Pearl Harbor, December 7, 1941 when the Japanese launched their attack.

Gilbert Clinton, who has operated Gilbert's Cape at 109 North Kingshighway four years, has leased the establishment to Frank Atkinson.

20 years ago
December 15, 1952

East Prairie-- Funeral services for Mrs. Mary Emily Smith, 68, of Anniston, will be held tomorrow. Mrs. Smith died yesterday at the home of her daughter, Mrs. Otha Nunn of Anniston.

Albert Andrews Clayton, 76, died early Thursday in Sikeston. He had been a resident of Sikeston for the past 13 years.

The Golden Wedding Anniversary of Mr. and Mrs. W.C. Hutchason, was celebrated Sunday at their home in Vanduser.

Matthews-- Pfc. Bill Lancaster left Camp Drake in Japan Monday to sail for home. He is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Odis Lancaster of Matthews.

Coach Bill Sapp announced last night at the annual football banquet given in honor of the undefeated 1952 football team of Sikeston, that 27 men on the squad had been given letters for their achievements on the girdiron for the past year. He also announced that 15 others on the squad would be given provisional letters for their work this year. The lettermen are: Don Baker, Don Bohannon, Sam Bowman, William Brown, David Dye, Tom Dunaway, Dewey Gimlin, Dale Joyce, Bob Keasler, Pat Nickens, Jim Pinkstaff, Sam Tanner, Bob Tyrone, Keith Ziegenhorn, David Bailey, Garland Castleberry, Melvin Dace, Ronald Humes, Donald Lewis, Vernon Mathis, Noel Milton, Lee Shell, David Smith, Bob Stearns, Fred Steward, Dod Byer and Bob Lohr. Those receiving provisionals were: Bob Butler, Larry Jenkins, Buddy Modersbach, Jim Wallace, Richard Blackwell, Jerry Duke, Frank Edmiston, Bill Lathom, Bill Lewis, Glen Matthews, Tommy Murchison, Burt Rowe, Harold Ragains, Don Webb, Elvis Hazel and John Cowell.

The dedication services for the Garden of Memories, Sikeston's newest cemetery, will be held tomorrow.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Monan, Sikeston, are parents of a baby girl born on the 11th at the Delta Community Hospital.

Mr. and Mrs. Herbert Rone, Portageville, are parents of a baby girl born on the 11th.

Mr. and Mrs. Eric Klick, East Prairie, are parents of a baby boy born on the 11th.

Louis Valley Statler, 74, of Essex, died at the local hospital on Thursday.

Morehouse-- Clarence Savage, 18, son of Mr. and Mrs. Dewey Savage of Morehouse, left Tuesday for San Diego, Calif., where he will take 28 weeks in communications technician operator school.

The Jackson Indians beat the Sikeston Bulldogs last night in the consolation finals of the Big Four Basketball Tournament. The final score was 62- 44. Truman Blackman, Jackson's high scoring star, pushed 35 points through the net last night to take the scoring honors in the tournament.

Sgt. George Childers, Route 2, Sikeston is among the 11 Southeast Missouri soldiers who arrived Saturday in San Francisco from the Far East aboard the transport General M.C. Meigs.

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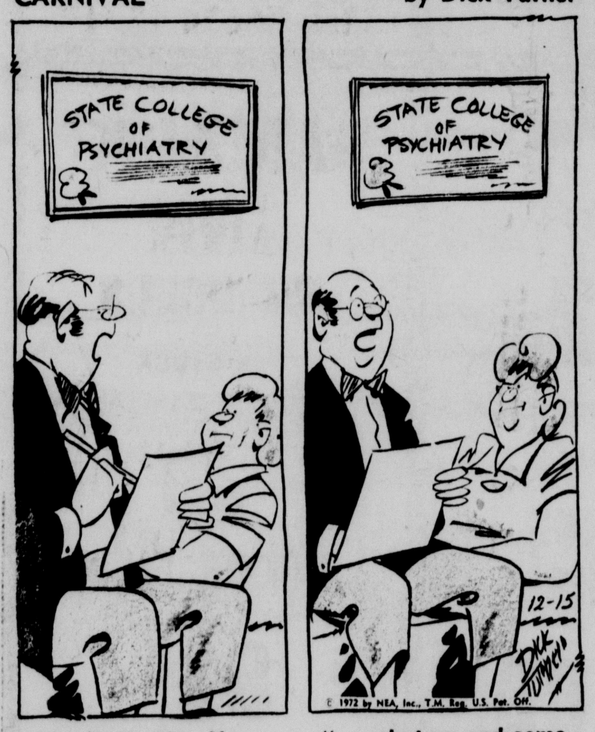

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10 Do	40 Situation	70 With
11 Use	41 Charm	71 Care
12 You	42 What	72 Skills
13 News	43 You	73 Fret
14 On	44 Presence	74 About
15 Good	45 Path	75 Later
16 Inclination	46 Greatly	76 Delayed
17 Started	47 Experience	77 News
18 A	48 To	78 Colleagues
19 Up	49 Picky	79 And
20 Abreast	50 Bear	80 Kindly
21 Nothing	51 And	81 And
22 Make	52 Others	82 Doing
23 May	53 Might	83 Way
24 Makes	54 Felt	84 Thinking
25 Wisdom	55 Worry	85 Concern
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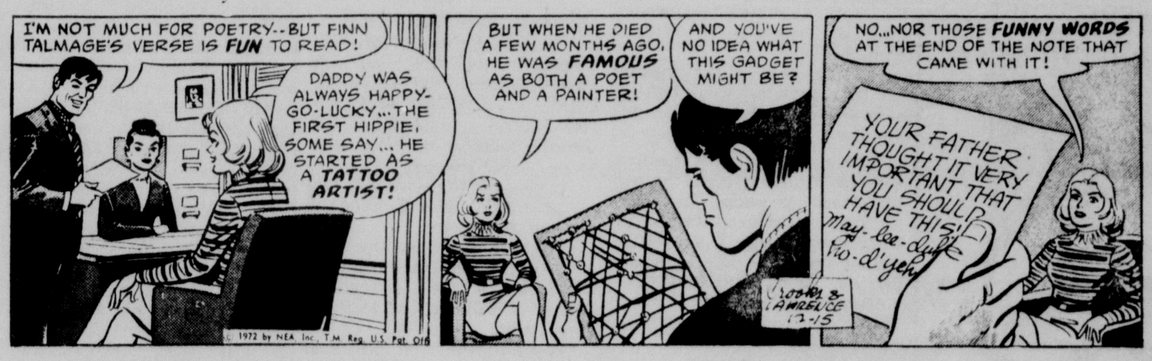

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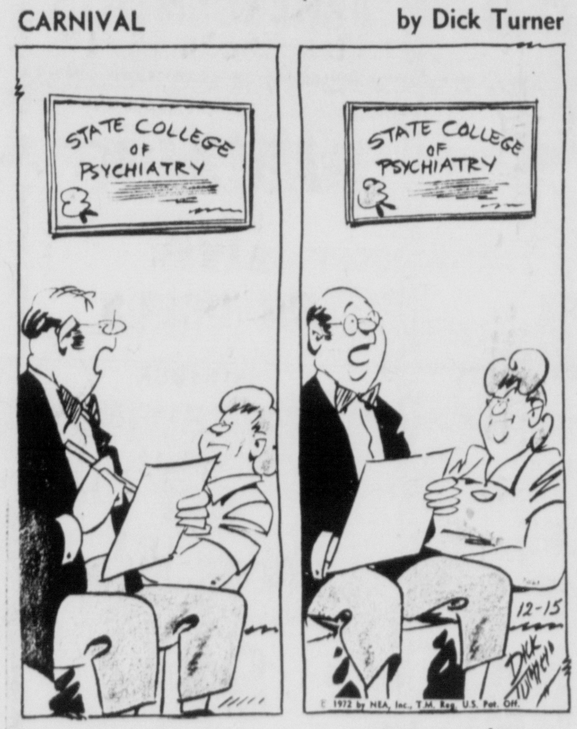

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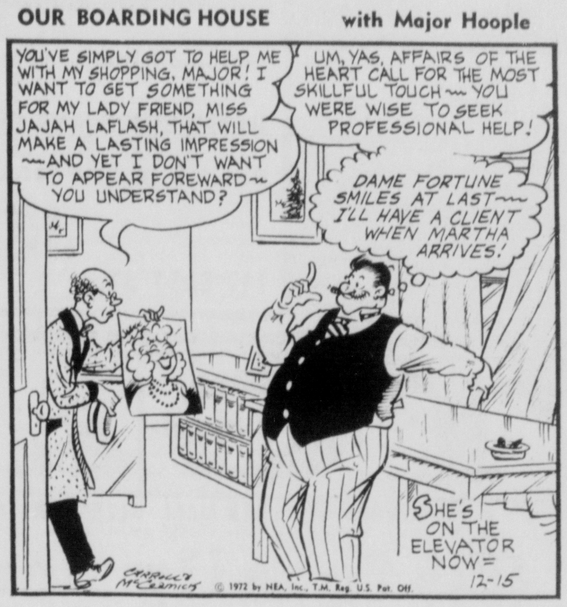

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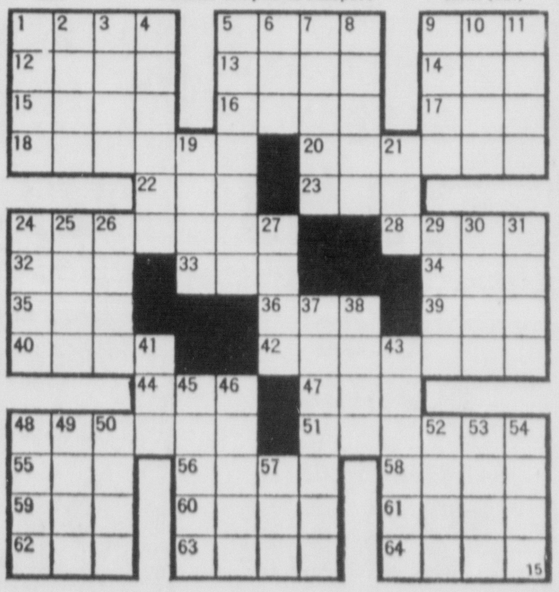

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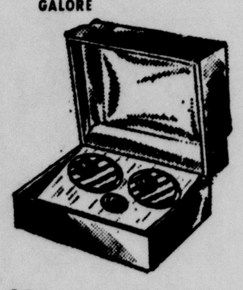

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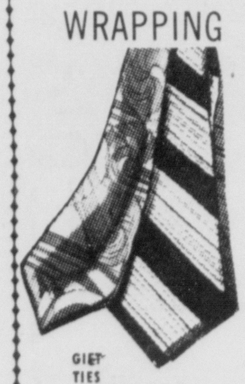
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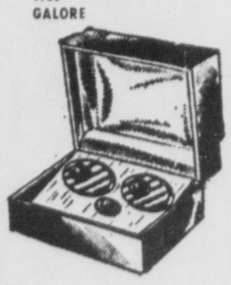
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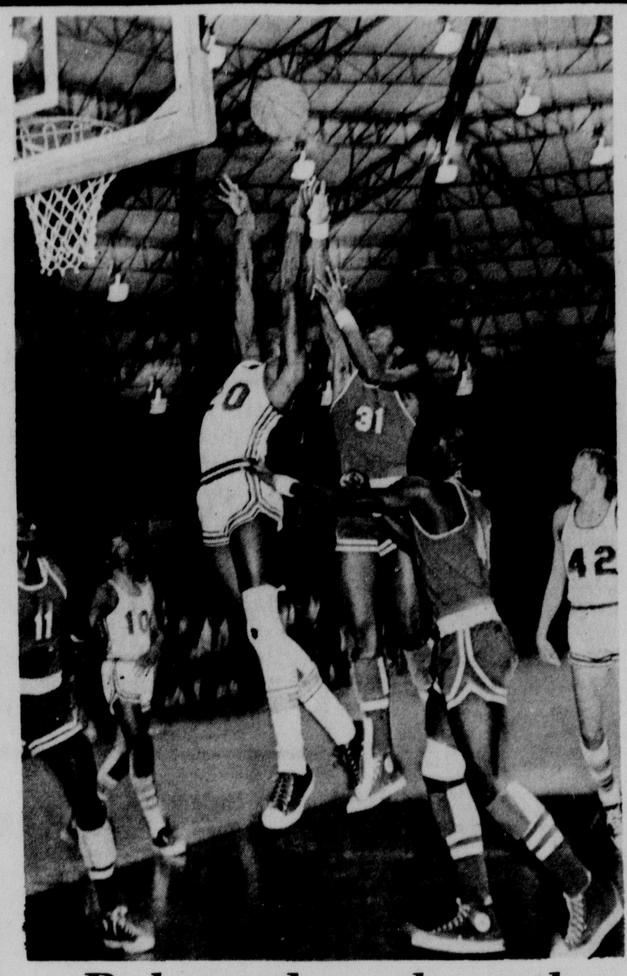

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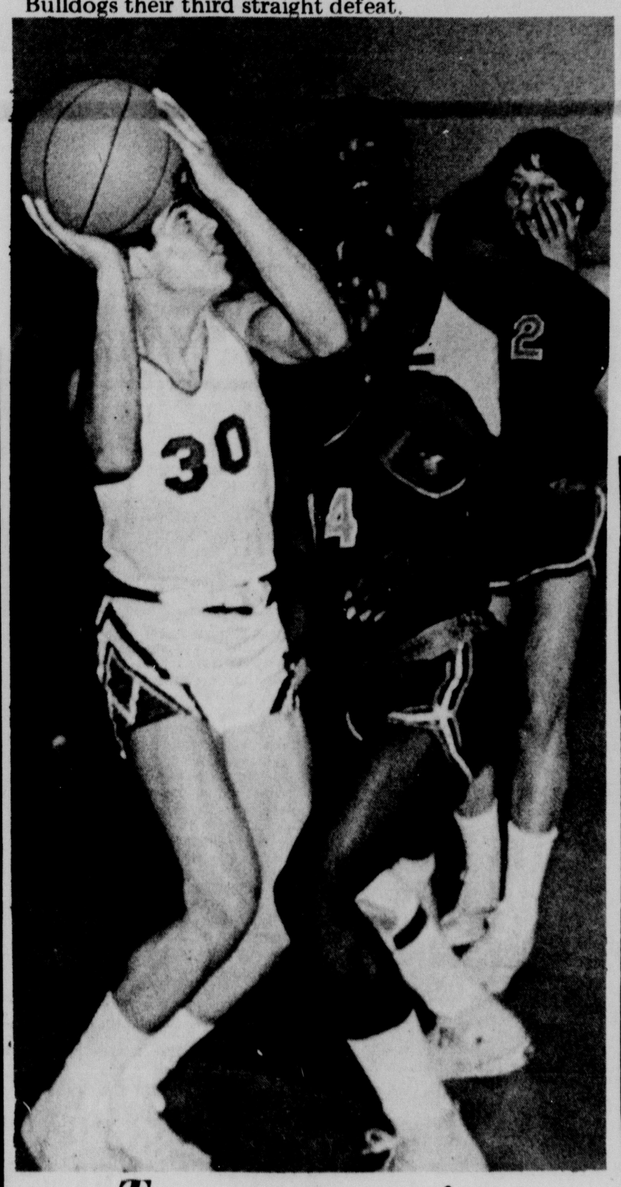

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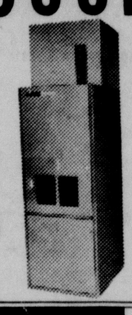

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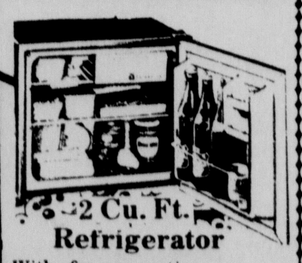

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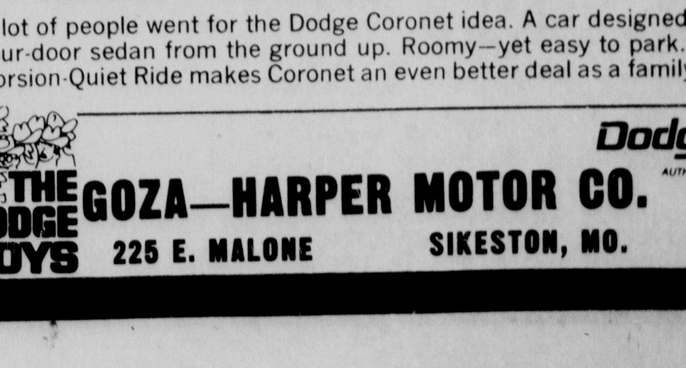

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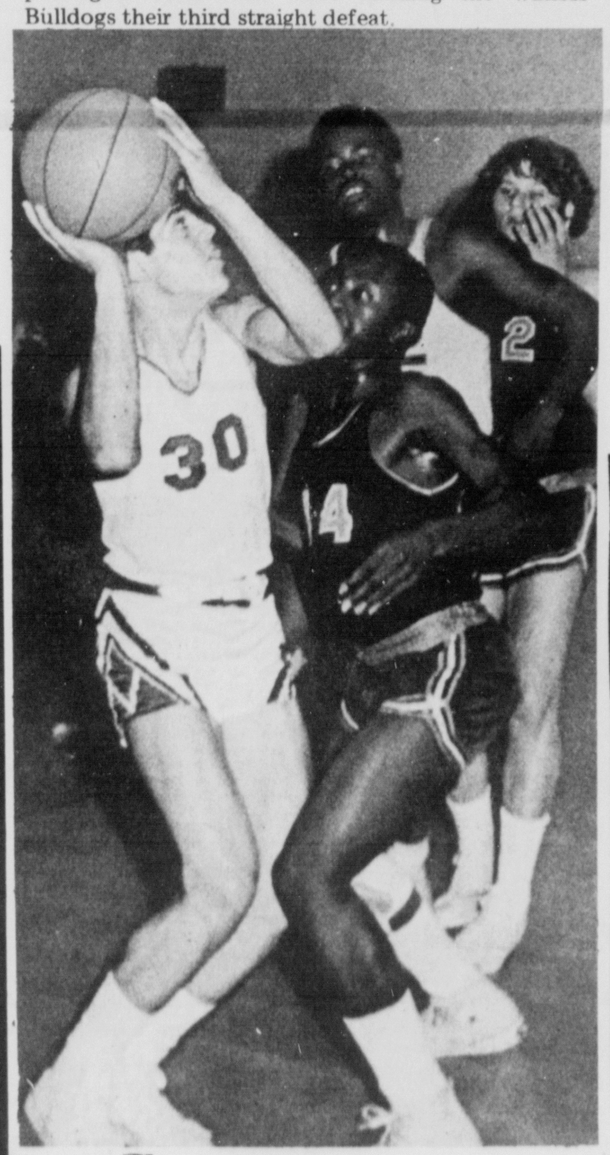

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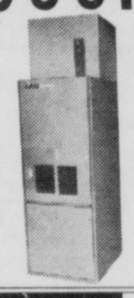

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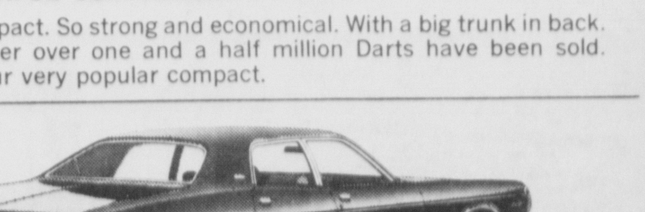

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District Basketball

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CAPE GIRARDEAU — St. Vincent's of Perryville turned the game around in the second half to defeat Notre Dame of Cape, 80667.

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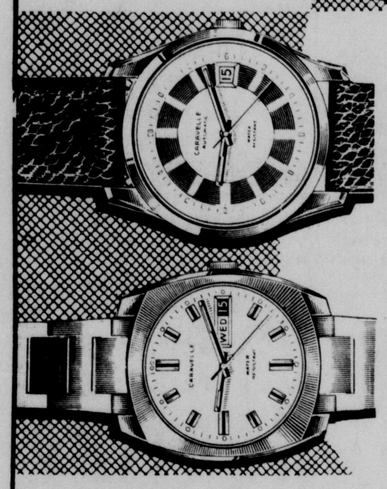

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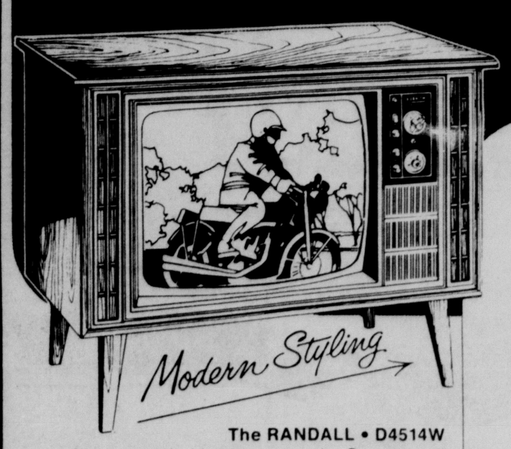

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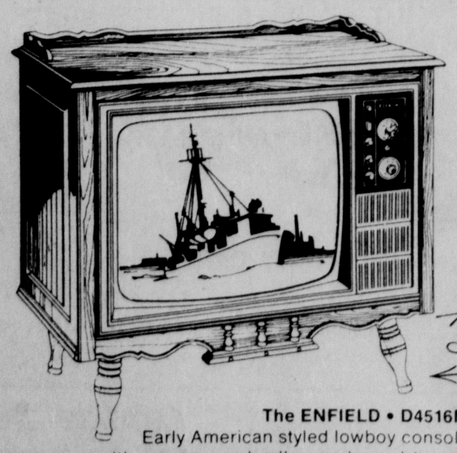

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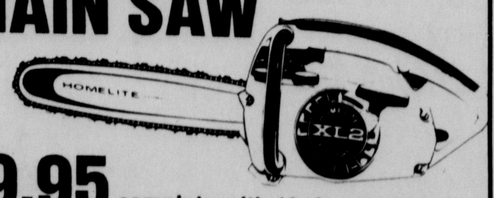

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Bulldogs winless

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The visitors' leading scorer was Clarence Cunningham. The 6- foot- 3 forward scored 20 points, netting eight of nine charity tosses. Following close behind was hot- shooting Joe Cagle. The diminutive backcourt man was Caruthersville's leading rebounder with nine and hit seven of 10 shots from the floor to end up with 17 points, proving to all why he is considered Southeast Missouri's top candidate for an All- State berth.

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Sikeston improved its shooting a bit, but was still below par, netting 34 per cent on shots from the field. Caruthersville hit 47 per cent for the night, and the Tigers were redhot in the second half when they hit 14 of 23 shots, an outstanding 61 per cent.

Sikeston opened the game playing inspired ball. The Dogs jumped to an early 6- 2 lead, but a three- point play by Cunningham narrowed the gap to a single point and, moments later, the highly touted cagers from points south assumed the lead for good.

A 15- 8 Caruthersville lead after one quarter, was stretched to eight points, 28- 20 at half. The Tigers, while not showing outstanding play in the contest, did show why they are rated so high. The scarlet- clad cagers played as a unit, showing a cohesive effort on both offense and defense— something the inexperienced Bulldogs have been unable to do.

The second half was a carbon- copy of the first. The Tigers blew a surprisingly close game wide open with an 18- 12 third period advantage. Trailing 46- 32 entering the final period, the Dogs put on a mad rush and scored 17 points. However, they were again outscored by the tough Tigers who netted 18.

Sikeston has a night off, then remains at home to host a tough metropolitan power from Collierville, Tenn. Saturday night.

The Bulldogs will take their 0- 3 record against the 5- 2 mark compiled by the visitors.

Caruthersville also won Thursday night's B— team match, 51- 37. The good-sized Sikeston team lacked the quickness to maintain the early lead they assumed.

District Basketball

TRIBE PREVAILS

CAPE GIRARDEAU — St. Vincent's of Perryville turned the game around in the second half to defeat Notre Dame of Cape, 80667.

Notre Dame made its move in the first quarter, scoring 21 points over St. Vincents 12. The Indians came out of doldrums in the second quarter as they matched the Cape squad for 19 tallies apiece.

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High school basketball

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Clarkton 58, Risco 57

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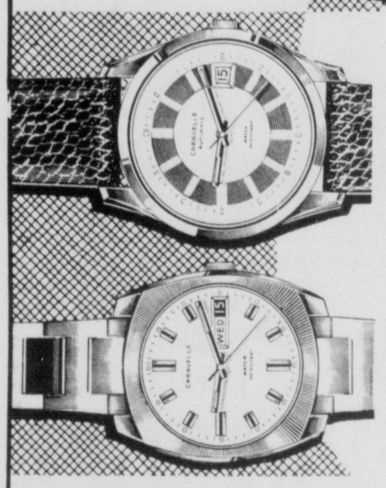

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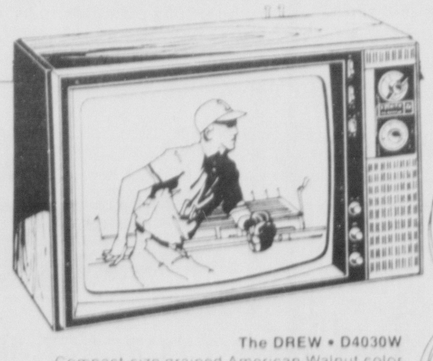

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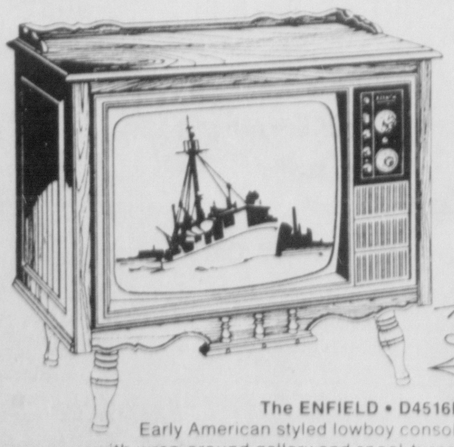

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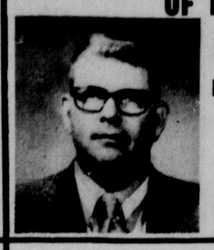

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Santa came carrying a sack of food. "Mrs. Claus felt so much better when I told her my plans she got right out of bed and made doughnuts and cookies and gingerbread men — all for Oonik the Eskimo boy, she said."

Now Oonik had never in his life eaten cake or cookies but when he asked what they were Santa said, "Never mind. You'll soon find out. I have raw meat here also for Keotuk."

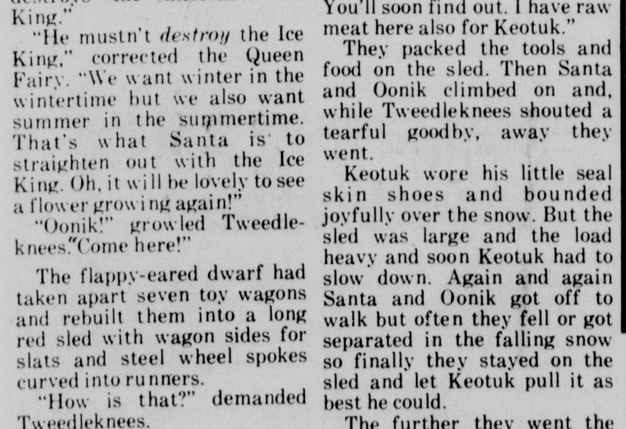
They packed the tools and food on the sled. Then Santa and Oonik climbed on and, while Tweedleknees shouted a tearful goodby, away they went.

Keotuk wore his little seal skin shoes and bounded joyfully over the snow. But the sled was large and the load heavy and soon Keotuk had to slow down. Again and again Santa and Oonik got off to walk but often they fell or got separated in the falling snow so finally they stayed on the sled and let Keotuk pull it as best he could.

The further they went the colder it became. This was good because it meant they were getting closer to the Ice King's domain. But finally, Keotuk could go no further and they had to stop.

The snow drifts were packed so hard it was impossible to burrow into them for protection while they slept and ate.

"I shall build an igloo!" exclaimed Oonik.



With Santa's help, Oonik built a perfect igloo.

"I am afraid it would take too long," protested Santa.

"Oh, no," replied Oonik. "My father has taught me. I can build one in an hour. Watch!"

With his snow saw he cut out blocks of ice from the drifts. Each block was about the size of a small suitcase. With Santa's help, he placed the blocks in a circle about eight feet across being careful to lean each block inward. The next two blocks he shaved down in such a way that when the second row of blocks went on it spiraled upward and inward.

Soon the spiral almost closed over Oonik's head. He decided to leave an opening there to let in light.

But now he was inside a house with no door. He dug his way out making a long tunnel under the wall.

Then he said to Santa, "Come on in!"

It was a very tight squeeze through the tunnel but Santa made it by pulling in his tummy and holding his breath. Then Oonik brought in Keotuk and pulled in the sled which was easy because the sled was long and narrow.

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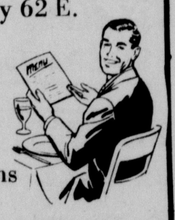

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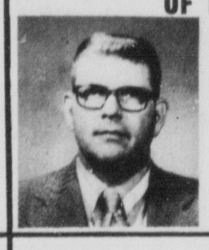

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Now Oonik had never in his life eaten cake or cookies but when he asked what they were Santa said, "Never mind. You'll soon find out. I have raw meat here also for Keotuk."

They packed the tools and food on the sled. Then Santa and Oonik climbed on and, while Tweedleknees shouted a tearful goodby, away they went.

Keotuk wore his little seal skin shoes and bounded joyfully over the snow. But the sled was large and the load heavy and soon Keotuk had to slow down. Again and again Santa and Oonik got off to walk but often they fell or got separated in the falling snow so finally they stayed on the sled and let Keotuk pull it as best he could.

The further they went the colder it became. This was good because it meant they were getting closer to the Ice King's domain. But finally, Keotuk could go no further and they had to stop.

The snow drifts were packed so hard it was impossible to burrow into them for protection while they slept and ate.

"I shall build an igloo!" exclaimed Oonik.

"I am afraid it would take too long," protested Santa.

"Oh, no," replied Oonik. "My father has taught me. I can build one in an hour. Watch!"

With his snow saw he cut out blocks of ice from the drifts. Each block was about the size of a small suitcase. With Santa's help, he placed the blocks in a circle about eight feet across being careful to lean each block inward. The next two blocks he shaved down in such a way that when the second row of blocks went on it spiraled upward and inward.

Soon the spiral almost closed over Oonik's head. He decided to leave an opening there to let in light.

But now he was inside a house with no door. He dug his way out making a long tunnel under the wall.

Then he said to Santa, "Come on in!"

It was a very tight squeeze through the tunnel but Santa made it by pulling in his tummy and holding his breath. Then Oonik brought in Keotuk and pulled in the sled which was easy because the sled was long and narrow.

Now they were safe and warm and not even the Ice King could harm them.

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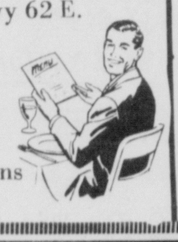

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TRUSTEE'S SALE

WHEREAS, Alexander Klein and Gladys Montgomery Klein, his wife, by a certain Deed of Trust dated the 18th day of November, 1965, and recorded in the office of the Recorder of Deeds for the county of Scott and the State of Missouri, in Book 148, Page 711, conveyed to the undersigned Trustee the following described real estate situated in the County of Scott and State of Missouri, to wit:

All of Lot Seven (7), in Block Two (2) of Kimes Subdivision in Block 4 of McCord's Subdivision in the City of Sikeston, Scott County, Missouri, as shown by Plat of same recorded in the Recorder's Office of said County in Plat Book No. 9 at Page No. 49 thereof.

Which conveyance was made to the undersigned in trust to secure the payment of a certain Promissory note in said Deed specified; and

WHEREAS, on the 29th day of July, 1968, Jerry G. Cooper and Judy K. Cooper, his wife, assumed and agreed to pay the debt secured by said Deed of Trust, and

WHEREAS, said note is now past due and remains unpaid default having been made in the payment of said note.

NOW, THEREFORE, at the request of the legal holder of said Note and in pursuance of the conditions of said Deed of Trust, the undersigned Trustee will sell the property above described at public vendue to the highest bidder for cash at the Main Front door of the Circuit Court House in the City of Benton, Scott County, Missouri, on January 9, 1973, between the hours of 9:00 A.M., and 5:00 P.M., for the purpose of satisfying said indebtedness and the cost of executing this trust.

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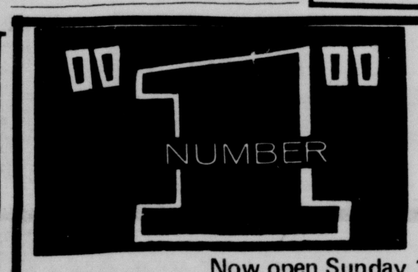

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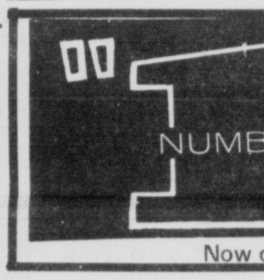

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292-088131-235	323 E. Ave. Kennett, Mo. (1)	$16,750	HB-1	$385+	5-3-1	960	frame	0
292-090597-235	214 Harrison Kennett, Mo. (2)	$15,400	C-1	$325+	5-3-1	960	frame	0
292-075988-235	609C St. (1) East Prairie, Mo.	$14,900	c-1	$350	6-4-1½	1248	masonry	0
292-077253-235	1618 Colony Park Scott City (1) (2)	$15,300	C-1	$49+	5-3-1	960	frame	0
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292-094328-203	210 Bynum Sikeston	$9,750	E-1	$66	4-2-1	910	frame	0
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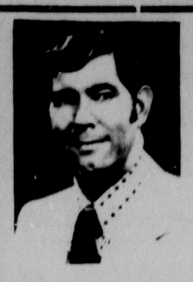

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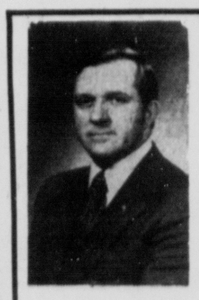

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YOU'RE MISSING THE BOAT if you haven't seen this big 3 bedroom stone home on 1002 Ruth. The kids can hang their stockings on the mantle of the comfy woodburning fireplace if purchased this weekend. 2 full baths, formal dining room, carpeting, central heat and air, eye-level oven range, dishwasher, many other wanted features. If you take a look you will agree that there is lots of home for the money. Extra special deal this weekend.

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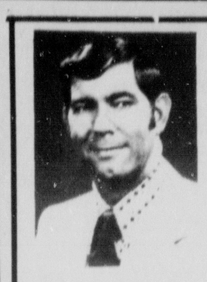

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New Listing. A PENNY SAVED IS A PENNY EARNED. Ben Franklin said it, and he must have been thinking of this house. If money means much to you, save yourself a bundle with this cozy 2 bedroom frame home. Living room, bath, and kitchen with 8 ft. cabinets. Closed in back porch, screened in front porch, alum. storm doors & windows. 100 x 140 lot, bearing Pecan trees. Located in Morehouse. Take advantage of this fine offer now. Total price $4,900.00 VACANT.

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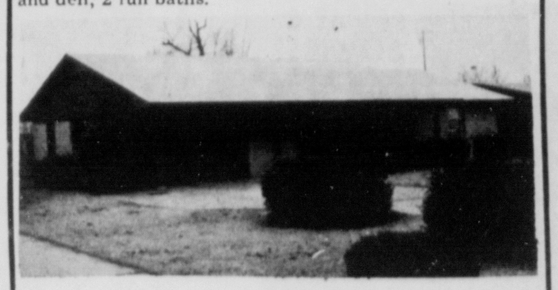

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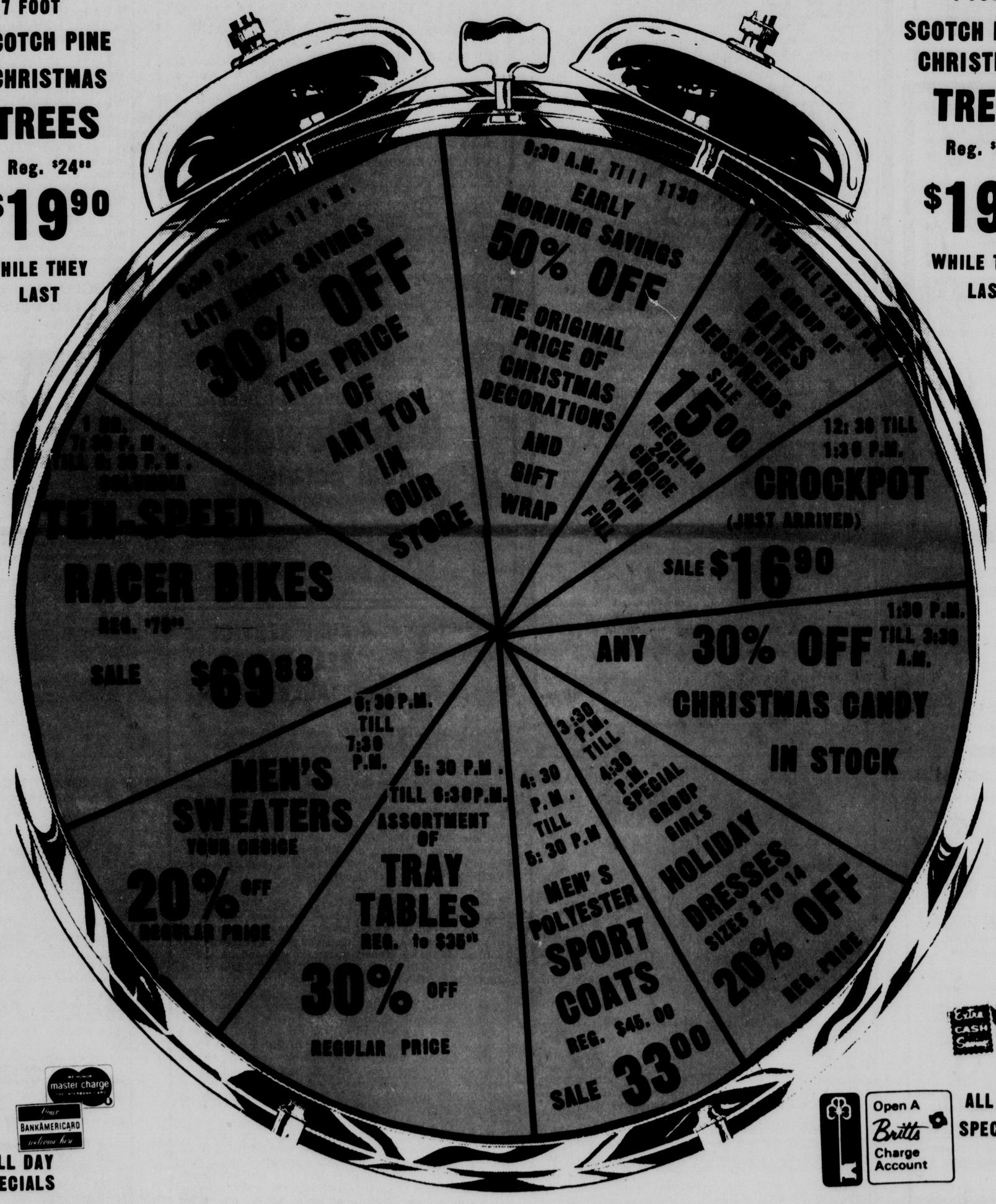

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